



Allies Bomb Nazi Industrial Areas

Coal Strikes Seen as Grave Menace to War Effort

Shipyards, Steel Plants May Soon Run Out of Fuel

Production Board Tells "Sad Story"

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Expressing deep concern over current coal strikes as dangerous to the war effort, the War Production Board said today that if the situation is not solved swiftly, steel plants, shipyards and munitions factories may be forced to close for lack of fuel.

With 20,000 miners on a wildcat strike in Alabama and 15,000 others in Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, Illinois, Pennsylvania and Arkansas, here were these developments:

Winter Outlook Bad

1. Disclosure by joint British-American surveys of the Allied coal supply that prospects of a sufficient 1944 supply are dubious because of manpower and mining machinery shortages in United States and British coal fields.

2. A report by the National Coal Association that the strikes represent "a sad story" of persons placing themselves "in a position where they will not produce the things that are needed."

3. A Sunday session of the War Labor Board to consider a proposed partial-to-total wage agreement between the Illinois soft coal operators and the United Mine Workers.

4. Instructions from and international UMW representative to local Alabama union leaders that the continued stoppage "might hinder" WLB consideration of the Illinois contract, which the UMW would (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

Terrific Blast At Easton, Pa.

Two Killed, 35 Known Injured

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 24 (AP)—A terrific explosion followed by a six-hour fire destroyed a large portion of the Easton Gas Works today, killing at least two persons, injuring more than thirty-five others and putting off gas service to the Easton-Phillipsburg, N. J., war industry area.

The blast, which occurred at 5:11 a. m., also damaged homes and business structures within a wide radius of the gas works. Most of the injured, including a number of elderly persons and small children, were in their homes when the earth-shaking blast occurred.

Dead Identified

The dead were John Kepic of Dunmore, Pa., a truck driver delivering gasoline to the plant, and Henry Jordan of Easton, one of three gas works employees in the plant at the time. Jordan's body was recovered late this afternoon.

Company officials, who reported no manufacturing equipment escaped serious damage, said service would be restored to war plants and other essential institutions within three days but that the more than 15,000 residents of the area probably (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

SOVIET TROOPS CROSS DNEIPEr UNDER ENEMY FIRE



UNDER THE PROTECTION OF MACHINE GUNNERS in the foreground, Red Army troops move across the Dnieper river while enemy guns on the opposite shore lay down a barrage of shells. The photo was taken below Kremenchuk, about ninety miles north of the Dnieper bend where other Soviet units are reported within fifteen miles of the great iron center and junction of Krivoi Rog.

UNITED STATES SUBMARINE REPORTED LOST IN PACIFIC

Dorado, Launched Last May, Is Thirteenth American Undersea Craft Destroyed in War

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Loss of the United States submarine Dorado, launched only last May, was reported today by the navy.

Communicate No. 476.

"The United States submarine Dorado is overdue and must be presumed to be lost. The next of kin of personnel in the Dorado have been so informed."

Believed in Pacific

While the announcement contained no reference to where the loss occurred, it was presumed the action was in the Pacific.

The Dorado was the thirteenth American submarine lost since America's entry into the war. Of this total, navy records list two sunk, ten overdue and presumed lost and one destroyed to prevent enemy capture.

The Dorado was commanded by Lieutenant Commander Earle Carey Schneider, 31, of Locust Knoll, Arnold, Md.

The normal complement of the Dorado was sixty-five.

Launched Last May

The submarine was 1,525 tons displacement, 307 feet long and carried ten twenty-one-inch torpedo tubes. It was launched May 23 at the yards of the Electric Boat Company, Groton, Conn. The sponsor was Mrs. Ezra F. Allen of Washington, wife of Rear Admiral Allen.

Schneider was graduated from the naval academy in 1933. He was awarded the silver star last April for "gallantry and intrepidity in action" while serving aboard another submarine in the Pacific.

The citation said his action materially aided in the success of his submarine's war patrol which sunk an important amount of Japanese shipping. He assumed command of the Dorado while she was being fitted out last spring.

Strike Delaying Ship Launchings

Crane Operators Slow War Effort

BALTIMORE, Oct. 24 (AP)—The work stoppage of crane operators at the Bethlehem Fairfield shipyard will delay the launching of at least three Liberty ships, J. M. Willis, vice president and general manager of the yard, said today.

One of the ships, to be named for Theodore Roosevelt, was scheduled to be launched on Navy day, Oct. 27, the birthday of the former president Willis added. He did not name the other two vessels.

Strike Five days Old

For five days the crane operators have refused to lift extra weights without extra pay, in what the company, a Bethlehem Steel subsidiary, has claimed was a jurisdictional strike. Most of the crane men are members of an AFL union. A CIO affiliate, the Industrial Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers of America, is the collective bargaining agent for the yard.

Representatives of the AFL union—the international union of operators—(Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

Red Army Storms Ahead Six Miles On Dnieper Loop

Kills 2,000 Nazis, Wrecks Many Tanks

By JUDSON O'QUINN
LONDON, Monday, Oct. 25 (AP)—The Red army rolled to within six miles of imperilled Krivoi Rog in the center of the Dnieper river loop yesterday and sped six miles past conquered Melitopol in an accelerated drive which killed 2,000 Germans and wrecked scores of enemy tanks, guns and planes on the road to the Crimea, Moscow announced early today.

Paced by a Soviet air force pounding at escape channels out of the Dnieper bend area, the Russians shattered every desperate German effort to stem the twin offensives which are fast rolling up the enemy's defenses in Southern Russia.

Take Heavy Booty

A midnight communiqué supplement listed tremendous booty swept up by the advancing Russians, including more than seventy-one tanks, fifty-two guns, 243 machine-guns, ammunition dumps and other equipment, and said more than 6,500 Germans had been killed or routed in between the sea of Azov and Gomel. Most of the enemy's casualties were suffered inside the Dnieper bend and in the Melitopol sector.

A German-controlled Paris radio broadcast said some Soviet units already were fighting inside the iron and rail center of Krivoi Rog in their push southward to link up with the other army, which toppled Melitopol.

Capture 50 Villages

A Moscow communiqué recorded by the Soviet monitor announced the capture of fifty villages, including Losovatska, only six miles north of Krivoi Rog, and one German broadcast described the Soviet river army as a "steamroller."

Fanning out from Melitopol the Russians said their Southern army smashed three German strongpoints, and also took the railway station of Tashcherak, six miles southwest of Melitopol on the railway to the Crimea, as the Germans vainly tried to stem a twin crush imperiling hundreds of thousands of Axis troops.

The Soviet bulletin also announced the capture of seven enemy strongpoints south of Rechitsa in the flanking move on Gomel, in White Russia. German counterattacks also failed to halt the Russians in that sector, it said.

The Russians said their forces knocked out 168 German tanks and shot down forty-six planes during Saturday's fighting.

Blackest Days for Hitler

The Russians now have completed fifteen weeks of steady fighting since their big counter-offensive began last July 12, and the last week has been described in reports filtering out of Germany as Adolf Hitler's blackest of the war.

The German high command communiqué acknowledged Russian gains in the loop, and a Berlin broadcast recorded by the Associated Press said Nazi troops in front of Krivoi Rog had been "withdrawn to the rear as a result of enemy pressure."

"New and violent Soviet attempts to break through German lines between the Sea of Azov and Zaporozh'e were frustrated in bitter fighting," the German communiqué said of the savage fight in lower Russia.

A broadcast by the mysterious (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

'NOW, HERE'S THE IDEA - - -'



SHIPBUILDER Henry J. Kaiser (right), present head of the Brewster Aeronautical Company, emphasizes a point during a discussion with Frederick Riebel, his predecessor, at a congressional hearing in Washington. The aircraft firm's production failures are under investigation by the House Naval subcommittee.

Horrors of Total War:

22,000,000 CIVILIANS ESTIMATED CASUALTIES OF TITANIC CONFLICT

Unarmed Old Men, Women and Children Victims Of Terrific Bombings Far from Battlefronts

By ELTON C. FEY
Associated Press War Analyst

This war has been designated by various speakers at various times as "the people's war" and "the war for survival."

"There are millions of people—the old men, women and children who bore no arms—who already have failed to survive it."

Precisely how many is not known nor will it be known with exactness in the years after the war, but a tally of estimates for the world battle zones produces the shocking total of more than 22,000,000 civilian dead.

Postwar checks invariably scale down wartime estimates of non-combatant casualties, although they never determine anywhere near a precise number.

No Accurate Figures

Those who have made estimates for the various war zones—diplomats, governments in exile, foreign publications—concede that they can be no more than the roughest totals based in many instances on reports from underground channels and refugees.

Military men say the estimates are too high. They cite their own troubles in finally arriving at exact casualty figures even though they have the advantage of knowing the precise number of men involved in battle, the number of counted dead and wounded and those missing. It is the latter category that complicates casualty figures, usually because of duplication in reports. And this, say the army men, certainly is even more true in attempts to compute civilian casualties.

The military, however, agrees that the civilian death toll in this conflict (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

Badoglio Bares Plans for Future

He Will Retire At End of War

By MARK S. WATSON
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SOUTHERN ITALY, Oct. 20 (Delayed)—Speaking as candidly and unreservedly as possible for any chief of state, Marshal Pietro Badoglio today in an important newspaper interview discussed the present situation in his country, events which had brought it to pass, and his hopes for Italy's immediate future.

Transcending all other needs, he said at the outset, is the expulsion of the Germans. Next to that, but subsequent to it, is the establishment of constitutional government, in the creation of which all political opinion in Italy must have a voice.

Will Retire After War

As soon as hostilities cease, Badoglio repeated, his task will be finished, and he will surrender his office.

With great clarity he touched upon a sequence of hitherto little known events by which Benito Mussolini alone committed Italy to war in 1940 without the consent or even knowledge of his military chiefs who knew the nation's total unreadiness for grand scale war.

It's an appalling record of cold-blooded decision to buy power with Italian blood.

The veteran soldier prepared answers to a series of questions submitted to him for a considered reply, and also some spontaneous remarks in amplification of his formal answers.

The interview took place in a small unimpressive corner room with Marshal Badoglio himself had fixed the time for the interview and (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

Lightnings Make Debut as Escort For Fortresses

Austria, Hungary And France Raided

By GLADWIN HILL
LONDON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Allied bombers, striking from both north and south, bombed France, Austria and Hungary in the heart of Germany's fortress today as the Americans readied new forces for long-range penetrations perhaps to Berlin and beyond.

Twelve-tailed American Lightning fighters, returning to Britain from North Africa for the first time in many months, made their debut as long-range escorts, while American Thunderbolts which previously had escorted Fortresses to Emden also flew cover for medium Marauders attacking France.

Bomb Nazis Bases

Nazi fighter bases at Beauvais, Nivillers and Saint Andre De L'Eure and the bomber base at Montdidier were attacked by the American planes without loss of a single craft, an air ministry communiqué announced, while other Thunderbolts, Spitfires and Typhoons carried out supporting sweeps with the loss of one Spitfire. Ten enemy planes were brought down.

Berlin and Luxembourg radios went off the air tonight, indicating that another raid might be underway against Germany.

Meanwhile, up from the Mediterranean came four-engine bombers to sweep the Vienna area and Styria district of Austria, the German radio announced, and later more big formations crossed Hungary's southwest border to bomb Transdanubia.

Admit Major Damage

The German radio said the attack was made "under cover" of a (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

Moscow Parley In Final Phase

Agreements Soon To Be Announced

By EDDY GILMORE
MOSCOW, Oct. 24 (AP)—The foreign ministers' conference moved today into the vital phase of drafting in specific terms the agreements to come out of the fateful three-power meeting.

The nature of these documents—on some of which agreement in principle already has been reached—was not disclosed, but the veil of secrecy over the conference lifted enough to give a glimpse of the way the work is proceeding.

Discuss Main Points

During the first week, it was learned, United States Secretary of State Cordell Hull, British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, and Foreign Commissar Molotov settled the agenda of the conference, and passed on to discussions of points in principle.

Their experts, who held their first separate meeting last night, took over the task of putting those points on paper while the ministers continued their own deliberations.

Definite word came from the British delegation that Eden's separate talks with Premier Stalin and Molotov "related to purely Anglo-Russian affairs."

New Phase at Hand

Meanwhile, the plain-spoken publication, "War and the Working (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Allied Warplanes Destroy 23 Jap Planes in Attacks in the Pacific

By VERN HAUGLAND
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Monday, Oct. 25 (AP)—Allied warplanes, weighing heavily at the enemy in the Southwest Pacific, destroyed twenty-three Japanese planes, several barges and two ships at Wewak, New Guinea, and scored direct hits on a large ship resembling an aircraft carrier near Buka in the Solomons.

A communiqué from General Douglas MacArthur's headquarters said twenty planes caught on the ground at the enemy stronghold at Wewak were destroyed in a raid by medium bombers. The bombers swooped down to an altitude of less than 200 feet to bomb and machine-gun the airfields at Dagau and Bul. Twenty-eight enemy craft were intercepted. Three were shot down and three others listed as probables.

Four Allied fighters failed to return. Two cargo ships, each estimated at 1,000 tons, were sunk in the harbor off Wewak. Another one was damaged and sixteen barges were sunk or damaged.

Over New Britain long-range fighters destroyed a 200-ton cargo ship southwest of Rabaul, while medium bombers hit the supply dump areas at Gasmata and Cape Hoskins.

The attack on the large ship off Buka was made by a Liberator bomber. Three direct hits were scored. The bombs fell amidships, causing large explosions and fire, the communiqué said.

The ship was sailing in a small convoy.

Allied fighters attacking Kahili airbase on Bougainville Island were intercepted by twenty enemy planes, three of which were shot down. One Allied plane was missing.

Marked improvement in the ground situation at Finschhafen was noted.

Railroad Strike Vote Considered

Brotherhoods Plan Membership Ballot

CHICAGO, Oct. 24 (AP)—Plans for taking a strike vote among 350,000 railroad workers were discussed today at a closed meeting of officials of the five operating railroad brotherhoods.

General chairmen of the five organizations voted unanimously to poll the membership on the strike question yesterday after rejecting a pay increase of four cents an hour proposed last month by an emergency board.

A spokesman for one of the unions represented in the closed conference who declined to permit use of his name said discussion centered on the form of the ballot to be taken. He said the five unions met separately and in joint session and that another conference was scheduled for Monday.

The railroad workers are seeking a thirty per cent pay boost with a minimum increase of \$3 a day.

A spokesman said if members voted to strike, a date would be set and the next move would be up to the government. He estimated results of the strike ballot would be known in twenty or thirty days.

Unions involved are the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, and Railroad Trainmen, the Order of Railway Conductors and the Switchmen's Union of North America.

Republican Victory Looms:

Spangler Tells GOP Workers They Can Count upon Winning Next Fall

By D. MAROLD OLIVER
WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Harison E. Spangler assured Republican party workers and voters today that they can count on a 1944 election victory because, he said, the GOP now "is a unified party looking to the future, as contrasted with the clashing, squabbling, disunited New Deal-Democratic party."

"The Republican party today is the resurgent, dominant, victorious party of the United States," said the Republican national chairman in attacking what he reported as "feverish propaganda" by the New Deal that the Republicans have no hope of defeating President Roosevelt next year if the war is still on.

Spangler expressed his views on the presidential and congressional elections next year in a memorandum to a party supporters to which he attached graphs and maps showing what he called the "Republican trend" since 1938.

"The election next year," he said, "will be won or lost in the thirty-eight states outside the solid south. And in these the people have so repeatedly since 1938 expressed their confidence in Republican leadership there can be little doubt of what they propose doing next year."

Spangler said that while Wendell Willkie carried only ten of the thirty-eight northern states with eighty-two electoral votes, in 1940 and President Roosevelt carried twenty-eight and 336 electoral votes, the president had a popular majority in those states of only 2,449,752 or 52.7 per cent.

Declaring a turnover of 1,250,000 votes would reverse the count, he said.

"The consistent trend toward the Republican party would seem to indicate that the necessary turnover is certain."

Yugoslavs Take Many Prisoners

Battle Germans On Long Front

By ERNEST AGNEW
LONDON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Gen. Josip (Tito) Broz's guerrilla armies, battling German forces along almost the entire length of Yugoslavia, have stormed two strongly defended towns and captured 2,000 Nazi officers and men in Western Bosnia, the Free Yugoslav radio announced today.

Tito's communiqué describing the capture of the largest number of prisoners of the campaign lashed out at the Chetnik forces of Gen. Draza Mihailovic, King Peter's war minister, accusing some of them of joining with the Germans in an attempt to overthrow the government.

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Taft Urges Use of League To Keep Down Aggression after World War

By JACK BELL
WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Use of the League of Nations as the framework for international cooperation to enforce future peace was suggested today by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) on the eve of Senate debate on a proposal to pledge American participation in a world authority with power to prevent aggression.

Taft, a supporter of the Connally peace preservation resolution, told this reporter he would propose in debate that the existing machinery of the League and of the World Court be utilized to simplify the task of organizing the nations for collaboration after the war ends.

While he did not commit himself on Taft's suggestions, Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) of the Senate Foreign Relations committee said his resolution would leave the road open to use of the League machinery if the nations decide later such a course would be practical.

The Connally resolution proposes that the United States, "acting through its constitutional processes, join with free and sovereign nations in the establishment and maintenance of international authority with power to prevent aggression and to preserve the peace of the world."

A group headed by Senators Bill (R-Minn.), Burton (R-Ohio), Hill (D-Ala.), and Hatch (D-NM) has proposed in an amendment that the United Nations be made the organizing agency, being joined by "such free and sovereign nations as may be duly admitted." Their amendment is to be offered tomorrow by Senator Pepper (D-Pa.), would provide also that the international organization thus formed be clothed with power, "including military force," to suppress aggression.

Senate Opposed To Food Subsidy

Plans Legislation Over F.D.R. Veto

By FRANCIS J. KELLY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—One of President Roosevelt's long-standing friends on Capitol Hill has cautioned him that a majority of the Senate not only opposes continuation and expansion of the food subsidy program but apparently is in the mood to pass anti-subsidy legislation even over his veto.

So tightly do the interests of Democratic senators from the rural South dovetail with those of the Republicans from the mid-west farm area, this lawmaker said, that it is hard to imagine how the coalition could be disrupted by anything the president might say in his food price subsidy message, expected this week.

A bill forbidding subsidies to keep down retail food prices already has been approved by the House Banking committee and is expected to be acted upon by the representatives early next month.

The bill continues the life of the Commodity Credit Corporation from Dec. 31 to July 1945, but does not grant the extra \$500,000,000 borrowing power which the administration asked for the CCC. It also prohibits fixing ceilings below support prices.

The president's hold-the-line order on the cost of living is at issue in the developing battle. Price administration officials say it will be impossible to roll back food prices to the level of Sept. 15, 1942 without subsidies.

It is likely that legislation to force an increase in the price of milk may be attached as a rider to the CCC bill when it comes before the Senate.

Lighnings Make

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dense layer of clouds. It admitted "major damage to one point" despite bad weather over the Alps.

A force of 300 bombers and 200 fighter escorts was seen near Zagreb, German puppet capital of Croatia, which fired its guns later at sixteen Allied planes, the German radio said. Budapest also had an alert.

In England the big aerial news was the disclosure that the twin-engine, twin-tailed, extra long range P-38 Lightning fighters now were available for bomber escort. Believed carrying extra gas tanks, the Lightnings, which can make 400 miles an hour and carry a cannon and four 50-caliber machine-guns, will be capable of reaching Berlin.

Have Extra Long Range They have even longer range than the Thunderbolts, which on Sept. 27 escorted Flying Fortresses 600 miles to Emden and back. The Lightnings are expected to make more than 1,100-mile round trips, giving medium bombers the protection needed for distant attacks.

The attacks on France took the bombers sixty miles from the channel shore.

In last night's foray the Nazis did a little damage in outlying areas of the capital. The German radio reported showering high explosives and incendiaries on Great Yarmouth, losing two bombers—possibly one-tenth of their whole force.

RAF Spitfires participating in today's escort and the RAF announced that its fighters shot down seven German planes for the loss of only one.

Plan Deeper Drives The innovation of escort by the long-range Thunderbolts hinted the possibility of newer and deeper drives into enemy territory by the twin-engine Marauders whose escorted attacks have proved so invulnerable that the Germans didn't even put up any opposition to Friday's airbase bombing.

Hitherto the Marauders have been shepherded by RAF Spitfires while the Thunderbolts' escort work has been confined to Fortresses.

Although the stated range of the Marauders is 2,400 miles, the farthest they have been in this theater is 500 miles to Paris and back. They have been held down, presumably, by the limited range of their Spitfire escort, which has been giving much credit for their success in making fifty raids in the past three months with the loss of only a dozen bombers.

With long-range Thunderbolts they possibly could push their iron-clad attacks twice as far, carrying them into Germany and enabling them to collaborate with Fortresses on operations to split the German's thinly spread air defenses.

Strike Delaying

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ing engineers—have denied the existence of a strike, saying that the crane operators were sent home on their refusal to violate the company's own safety rule concerning weight-lifting.

21 Cranes Operating Willis said that twenty-one of the thirty-two tower cranes on the shipways were in operation today while all bridge cranes, tower cranes at the outfitting pier and steam and portable cranes were working at capacity.

He paid tribute to the "magnificent job" done by the men who have taken over tower crane operation. No accidents attributable to tower crane operation have occurred on the ways since the work stoppage began, he said. Regular operators who have returned to work were doing yeoman service in assisting less experienced men and in training new workers, the vice-president stated.

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that is tremendous, for at least three reasons:

War of Movement

It is a war of movement as distinguished from the preceding great war of position. In World War 1, populations were moved out when the battle area began forming. Now the war sweeps over them on wheels and wings.

This war has reached far behind the battle lines. The target for the millions factories—and its workers and their homes.

Most of all, it is the total war which the Axis conceived and for which the watchword is "extermination."

Polish sources estimate that 3,000,000 Poles and Polish Jews have died under the Luftwaffe's air bombardments and the Wehrmacht's guns in the brief battles in Poland and in the subsequent bloody years of execution, mass starvation and slow-death prison camps.

The Russian government has attempted no official computation of the total loss in civilian life. Russian sources, however, have suggested various figures, with the one most often mentioned being 15,000,000.

3,000,000 Chinese Dead

Chinese estimate that since their conflict with Japan began in large scale in 1937 about 3,000,000 civilians have died directly as a result of battle action or execution, and not including those who succumbed to starvation and disease because the enemy seized their food producing lands and turned an estimated 50,000,000 from their homes.

The Low countries have suffered heavily. Dutch sources estimate the civilian toll in their country as high as 50,000, with 30,000 of that total slaughtered when the Nazis bombed Rotterdam.

French sources in this country think it possible that enemy action preceding the fall of France in 1940 resulted in a toll of 50,000. They say, however, that whatever the toll, it has risen since that time both because of German executions and Allied aerial bombardment of munitions centers and Nazi military installations.

Million Yugoslavs Dead

Yugoslav diplomatic circles at Washington estimate the dead in their country 1,000,000, the greater part of them Serbs.

Starvation, especially in the winter of 1942, has taken heavy toll in Greece. Greek officials in this country believe that more than half a million of the countrymen have died since Axis armies marched in. For a time during the winter, 2,000 persons died each day from privation in a country plundered of its food.

49,860 British Killed

Of all the belligerents, Great Britain is the only one in a position to offer an exact figure on its civilian—49,860 dead up to midsummer. They died in the great blitz of London, in Coventry and in the many small cities and towns blasted by the Luftwaffe in the days when air war was something made only by Germany.

Now, for the first time in centuries, war has come to the home of the German warmaker and the Reich is adding its toll to the non-combatant dead. The toll there grows by day and night, in Berlin, in Hamburg, in Bremen.

Badoglio Bares

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we were admitted immediately. The marshal came to the door of his little office and shook hands cordially with his three visitors and their military companions. Then he waved us and the interpreter to seats about his desk where he himself sat down and looked at us benignly through round spectacles.

He spoke, with warmth of what Italy has suffered, clearly with a view to silencing suggestions that his country, having been defeated in war, hopes to escape scot free. With great earnestness he listed some of Italy's losses and reminded us that they are not yet over.

Italy Helping Allies

He stressed the point that Mussolini's breach of agreement and attack on Greece were never supported by the Italian people on either military or moral grounds and repeatedly mentioned Italy's present desire to live at peace with her neighbors. He pointed out that in conformity to the terms of armistice Italy has already rendered considerable aid to the Allies and now seems able to do more with the resources at her command.

No one can talk with this patently honest old soldier without sympathy for him or without hope that he will have both internal strength and external support from other Italian patriots to carry him and his unhappy country over the long and difficult path which lies ahead.

Asked what part he played in the coup d'état, Marshal Badoglio said "I was outside." He added that he was called by the king on July 25 at 5 p. m. and his majesty ordered him to take charge of the government.

Asked further what happened between the Fascist council's vote and his being summoned by the king, he replied that he did not know and added that he was not at the meeting of the council which overthrew Mussolini and that he had never been a member of the council. He had not seen Mussolini since early November, 1940, when he resigned as chief of the general staff.

Asked whether one could draw the inference that the army had no part in the coup d'état, he replied "I do not believe it played any part. The coup against Mussolini was carried out within the Fascist party and no one of numerous members of the rank and file lifted a hand to save him. He fell like an overripe fruit."

New Plan Used To Land Troops

British Announce Technique Change

By ROSS MUNRO

Canadian Press War Correspondent

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Oct. 24 (AP)—The Royal navy and a Canadian army formation have teamed up to present a devastating new technique for a landing assault against a strongly defended coast, a method described as similar to hurling "blockbusters" from the sea.

By concentrated fire from the warships, breaches were blasted through actual beach defenses to give the infantry a path to gain the initial breach during maneuvers on the British coast.

The new technique, an improvement on combined-operations attacks of the past year, is designed to give assault infantry a much better opportunity of getting ashore and becoming established without heavy losses. Details of the weapons used are secret.

In such a combined operation may lie the answer to the problem of overcoming German defenses along western Europe when invasion day dawns. There still are a number of angles to be smoothed out, but much progress has been made since the Canadians trained in coastal assault tactics in Britain last June before going to the Mediterranean to invade Sicily.

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Red Army Storms

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underground radio station Atlantic announced the evacuation by German troops of Dnepropetrovsk, metallurgical city in the upper corner of the Dnieper loop. The city already has been flanked by Soviet forces on the west. Other Soviet units reached its east bank suburbs weeks ago.

German Troops Withdraw

The Berlin bulletin announced belatedly that German troops Friday night had withdrawn "to new positions in the western outskirts" of Melitopol. Moscow announced the city's complete capture Saturday after an eleven-day street fight which opened the way to the Crimea, seventy miles to the south.

A German broadcast used the word "steamroller" for the first time in describing the massive Soviet onslaught inside the Dnieper loop, and the German high command also disclosed that another Soviet army on the Central front to the north had been attacking German lines before Vitebsk and Orsha for the third successive day.

Allied military men in Moscow termed the Soviet break-through at Melitopol one of the finest Russian feats of the war. The guiding hand of Premier Joseph Stalin, as a master military strategist, was detected in that stroke, as it was in the great Stalingrad victory of last winter.

Chinese estimate that since their conflict with Japan began in large scale in 1937 about 3,000,000 civilians have died directly as a result of battle action or execution, and not including those who succumbed to starvation and disease because the enemy seized their food producing lands and turned an estimated 50,000,000 from their homes.

The Low countries have suffered heavily. Dutch sources estimate the civilian toll in their country as high as 50,000, with 30,000 of that total slaughtered when the Nazis bombed Rotterdam.

French sources in this country think it possible that enemy action preceding the fall of France in 1940 resulted in a toll of 50,000. They say, however, that whatever the toll, it has risen since that time both because of German executions and Allied aerial bombardment of munitions centers and Nazi military installations.

Yugoslav diplomatic circles at Washington estimate the dead in their country 1,000,000, the greater part of them Serbs.

Starvation, especially in the winter of 1942, has taken heavy toll in Greece. Greek officials in this country believe that more than half a million of the countrymen have died since Axis armies marched in. For a time during the winter, 2,000 persons died each day from privation in a country plundered of its food.

Of all the belligerents, Great Britain is the only one in a position to offer an exact figure on its civilian—49,860 dead up to midsummer. They died in the great blitz of London, in Coventry and in the many small cities and towns blasted by the Luftwaffe in the days when air war was something made only by Germany.

Now, for the first time in centuries, war has come to the home of the German warmaker and the Reich is adding its toll to the non-combatant dead. The toll there grows by day and night, in Berlin, in Hamburg, in Bremen.

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Vermonters Want Thief To Return

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Oct. 24 (AP)—Steve Gilman, local livestock dealer, is either a very good natured man or hopes to lure a would-be thief close enough for further action.

Going out to attend his porker the other day, Gilman discovered a clue which led him to insert this ad in the Caledonian-Record:

"The person who tried to steal my pig lost a black-bordered handkerchief and may have same by seeing me."

Graham Resigns As Ration Lawyer

BALTIMORE, Oct. 24 (AP)—Resignation of William A. Graham as chief rationing attorney for the state Office of Price Administration—the third official to leave within a month—was announced today by Leo H. McCormick.

The state OPA director declined to discuss the resignation or the persons considered to succeed Graham.

Graham said the "accumulation of pressing personal matter" was the only reason for his leaving.

Allied Coal Supply Outlook Serious

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Saying that the United Nations will barely squeeze through the winter on the basis of present coal production, joint British-American board predicted today that "the supply is almost certain to be far less satisfactory a year from now."

The board's surveys of Allied coal supplies disclosed that prospects of obtaining a sufficient 1944 supply are dubious because of manpower and mining machinery shortages.

Boston College Wins Over Camp Hingham

BOSTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Boston college's young civilians, ably directed by Ed (the Brain) Doherty, last season's star quarterback who is awaiting an early navy call, launched their informal football season by romping to a 42-6 victory over Camp Hingham today before a slim crowd of 4,000 at Fenway park.

The Eagle fledglings had only one defensive lapse. Early in the second period, they permitted Bobby Nelson to filter through the secondary and score with a long pass that Roy Lundberg launched from the Soldiers' forty-three yard line.

Bluege To Pilot Mats for Two Years

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—Ossie Bluege, who guided the Washington Senators to second place in the American League in his first season as manager, has signed a new two-year contract—the first two-year agreement granted a Senator pilot since 1929.

Bluege, former Senator coach and third sacker, also received a boost in pay and the praise of owner Clarke Griffith who said Ossie got "the most out of the club." The amount of the salary increase was not disclosed.

Moorefield Moose To Hear Address By Dr. Aspinall

President of State Association Will Speak at Banquet October 29

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., Oct. 24—W. D. Grafton, secretary of the local Moose lodge, has sent invitations to nearby lodges and representatives of service organizations to attend a banquet given by local Moose Friday, October 29 in the high school auditorium.

Dr. Richard Aspinall, president of the West Virginia State Moose association and assistant to the president at West Virginia University, will be present and speak, as will be Charles J. Skill, Parkersburg, special representative of the Moose and Ralph Dusic, Romney, district president.

Representatives of the Franklin, Parsons, Keyser and Elkins lodges will be present and representatives of the Lions Club, Petersburg, Kanawha, Moorefield and Petersburg Fire Companies, and other civic groups are to be invited.

There will be a floor show after the banquet and the burning of the mortgage, which is one of the high spots of the occasion. Another important feature will be the purchase of bonds and stamps in honor of the thirty members now serving in the armed forces.

Noah Funkhouser Dies

Noah Funkhouser, 70, died at his home at Baker, October 20, after an illness of some time. He had been suffering with an enlarged heart.

Funeral services were held Friday, October 22, from the church at Baker with the Rev. B. F. Spitzer officiating.

Mr. Funkhouser, who was born in the Baker section and spent his entire life there, was the son of the late Anthony and Barbara Ann Miller Funkhouser.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Sally Bell Reynolds, and six children: Mrs. Anthony Funkhouser, Mrs. Carol Delawder, Thomas and Guy Funkhouser, Moorefield; Carl Funkhouser, Baker and Pvt. Jack Funkhouser, somewhere in South Africa. A sister and four brothers survive: Mrs. Ephraim (Martha) Combs, Needmore; Benjamin Funkhouser, Baker; Isaac Funkhouser, Inkerman; Raphael Funkhouser, Lost River, and Phineas Funkhouser, Needmore.

To Name Queen

Queen Wardensville III will be chosen at a jamboree early in November held at the Wardensville high school. Students of the school have nominated ten candidates for this honor and these candidates will collect votes (at a penny each) from now until the jamboree is held.

Young ladies nominated by the student body are Misses Marie Helzel, Avenelle McClure, Reka Mathias, Pauline Funkhouser, Betty Pligim, Iva Fisel, Lillian Funkhouser, Patsy McKee, Nadine Keer and Sue Anne Doyle.

This is the third jamboree held at the Wardensville school and the proceeds are for the benefit of the basketball team and other equipment for the school. Since this is the first one held since the gymnasium was completed, the committee now busy arranging for the amusements, expects this to be the best yet.

Personals

Walter Kessel, who has been working in Alexandria, Va., since March has returned to his home at Kessel.

Mrs. Grover Zirk, Misses Mable, Marjorie and Helen Zirk have gone to Baltimore to join Mr. Zirk who is employed there.

Miss Marlene Hutter, who spent a week visiting her mother, Mrs. A. G. Hutter, Sr., at Kessel, has returned to Laurel, Md., where she is employed at the District Training School.

Col. and Mrs. Chauncey S. McNeill have returned to Washington for the winter after spending the summer at Mapleton.

Mrs. Charles Shobe and children left Thursday for Lewisburg for a visit at her former home.

Mrs. Marvin Ellis and two children are visiting Mrs. Ellis' aunt, Mrs. S. L. Dodd and family.

Mrs. James Elosser, Rock Oak, left Saturday for Washington to spend the winter with her daughter, Miss Pearl Elosser. She went down with Mrs. Fanny Didawick who was visiting her children here.

Dr. Roy Bird Cook, secretary of the state board of pharmacy, was in Moorefield Friday visiting the drug-stores.

Edward Allen, student at R. M. A. Front Royal, Va., spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bruce Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Gamble and daughter Carmen went to Washington Saturday for the week-end.

Mr. Gamble was sworn in to the Seabees on Monday and Mrs. Gamble and daughter returned to Moorefield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matson, Mrs. Lucile Smith, Miss Jean Smith and Miss Justine Harman were shopping in Cumberland Saturday.

Mrs. Carroll Boggs and two children, Wheeling, arrived Saturday to make their home in Moorefield with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chipley while Dr. Boggs is with the armed forces.

FRIENDSVILLE WILL HOLD HALLOWE'EN CARNIVAL THURSDAY

FRIENDSVILLE, Oct. 24—The annual Halloween carnival will be held in the Friendsville high school auditorium Thursday evening, October 28. Cash prizes will be given for the best dressed child and the best dressed adult and for the most comically dressed child and the most comically dressed adult. The grand parade will begin 8:15 p. m. and a door prize will be awarded.

Miss Ann Salses will be in charge of refreshments and John Capol and Chauncey Friend, entertainment. One basket of fresh fruit will be awarded to those holding the lucky numbers at the drawing to be held during the evening's entertainment. A guess cake will also be given away.

Brief Items

Mrs. Clark Schlossnagle entertained the Hoeses Homenagles club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Robert Hoffman gave a talk on the care and repair of ranges.

Mrs. W. W. DeWitt, Mrs. Arthur DeWitt, Mrs. George Wahl, Mrs. Arthur Custer, Mrs. Hubert Friend, Mrs. R. B. Friend, and Mrs. R. Layman were among the members present. The next meeting is scheduled to be held November 18.

The Rev. J. Wilson Harner has announced that the annual Harvest Home Service will be held at Grace Lutheran church October 31, 7:00 p. m.

Neil Flora, Minn., is visiting his wife and baby at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur DeWitt.

Miss Helen DeWitt, Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. DeWitt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Miller and son were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Timney, Lonaconing.

Charley Miller, secretary of the Garrett county farm bureau, has announced that there will be a banquet held in Grantsville November 4.

Lonaconing WAC Is Entertained

Mrs. Frances Woods Gives Party in Honor of Marvel Warnick

LONACONING, Oct. 24—Mrs. Frances Woods, High street, entertained at her home last evening in honor of Miss Marvel Warnick, who will leave soon for the Women's Army corps.

Refreshments were served. Games and dancing featured the evening's entertainment. Guests were the Misses Catherine Woods, Reta Keating, Florence James, Edna Cutler, Mildred Green, Ellen Morton, Mary Timney, Elizabeth Ralston, Ruth Jones, Mesdames Clara Byrnes, Lola Warnick, Shirley Major, Norma Del Signore, Marie Woods and Leona Duckworth.

Honored by Choir

Mrs. Agnes Dobbie, Jackson street, was honored at her home last week by the choir members of the Presbyterian church. Mrs. Dobbie, who has been an active member of the choir for over thirty years, was made an honorary member and presented a lovely gift.

Mask Dance Is Held

At a Girl Scout Halloween masquerade dance held on Friday evening at Central high school Miss Wanda Warnick was awarded first prize for the best-dressed costume and Flora Jane Smith, Phyllis and Shirley Rowan shared honors for the funniest costumes. Miss Edna Elliott and Miss Dorine Keating, scout leaders, acted as chaperones.

Auxiliary Gives Party

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Goodwill Volunteer Fire Company No. 1, Lonaconing, held a Halloween masquerade party at the Firemen's hall. Mrs. Agnes Marshall won first prize for the best-dressed costume; Mrs. Jane Marshall was awarded first prize for the funniest costume.

A program was presented by the entertainment committee. Miss Ollie Elchhorn sang a solo. Mesdames Anna Gardner, Agnes Miller and Agnes Marshall gave recitations. The merry-makers joined in group singing and then refreshments were served.

Will Present Prizes

The pupils of Jackson elementary school will parade in their annual Halloween masquerade on Wednesday afternoon, October 27, at 1:30 o'clock. Judges will select the best-dressed masqueraders to be awarded prizes.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grindle visited the Rev. and Mrs. Lewis F. Ransome at their new parsonage in Sykesville, Maryland, and Miss Thelma Dixon at Frederick, Md.

Mrs. Samuel B. McFarlane left Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stevenson, at Ford City, Pa.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. John Stewart, of Washington, D. C., were here to attend the funeral of his uncle, Arch Stewart.

Mrs. Althea Woynicz has been called home from Elkhon, where she is employed, due to the serious illness of her sister.

James A. Murray Rites Are Held In Davis, W. Va.

PARSONS, Oct. 24—Funeral services were conducted in Davis, Friday afternoon for James Anthony "Mickey" Murray, 59, who died this week at his home in Shaw, W. Va. He was born in Port Leyden, N. Y., the son of the late James Anthony and Mary Guadalupe Murray and came to Davis when a small boy. He moved from Davis to Shaw twenty-five years ago.

Mr. Murray is survived by his widow, the former Wealtha Blanche Slider, of Davis, and the following sons and daughters: First Sgt. James A. Murray, Jr., of the United Marine Corps, New River, N. C.; Thornton Murray and Paul Murray, Cumberland; Pvt. Clyde Murray, stationed with the army overseas; Ray Murray, Shaw; Mary Joe Murray, Shaw; Mrs. Ruth Keller, Cumberland; Mrs. Grace Adams, Baltimore and Mrs. Betty Propst, Kitzmiller.

One brother, Fred Murray, Cumberland; one half brother, Jack McManus; a sister, Mrs. Ella Valencourt of Port Leyden, N. Y., and six grandchildren also survive.

Davis Club Hears Lecture

A lecture and demonstration on firearms and booby traps was presented to the members of the Senior Woman's club, of Davis, Friday evening with Maj. Anthony F. Noccoli and Capt. Stuart F. Ferris of the thirteenth Field Artillery Group. They were assisted by Sgt. Joseph Tascione and Corp. Harvey West. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. H. Mills, Mrs. E. P. Creagan and Mrs. Earl Newcomer.

W.S.C.S. Organized

A Women's Society for Christian Service was organized this week at the Methodist church of Moore by the Mrs. R. E. Hiller, wife of the pastor of the Moore and St. John's Methodist churches of Parsons.

Mrs. L. H. Mott, president of the Moorefield district of the women's society was present and talked on the work of the society. Mrs. Warren Swisher was elected president of the new organization. Other officers elected were: Mrs. P. C. Williams, vice president; Mrs. Martha Jenkins, recording and corresponding secretary and Mrs. L. C. Sherman, treasurer. The meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of each month.

P-T.A. Drive Ends

One hundred and twenty members were obtained for the Davis Parent-Teacher's Association in its recent drive in the grade school. The fourth grade, Mrs. Naomi Knickely, teacher, won the prize for getting the most members. Donation were given to the school for equipment and books that are needed at the school.

Reardon Cuppett, county superintendent of schools, was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the P.T.A. held this week. The program also a vocal duet by Jean Gneggy and Ruth Elaine Collins, accompanied by Mrs. W. Gneggy; readings by Ruth L. White and Sandra Jean Godwin.

Discussion were held among the teachers and parents followed by visitations of the various rooms of the school. The program committee for the November meeting were Miss Windle, Mrs. H. A. Meyers and Mrs. Ruth Friend.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Painter, of Pierce, announce the birth of a daughter at their home on October 18.

Pvt. and Mrs. Harold Archer, of Hendricks, announce the birth of a daughter at their home on October 22. The mother is the former Miss Nellie Glass.

Lark Felix Wilfong, Baltimore, is spending this week with his family in Hambleton prior to leaving for final induction into the Naval Construction Corps on October 30. Wilfong, who is the son of Mrs. Lena Wilfong, has been commissioned a second class petty officer.

Mt. Storm Girl Is Married in Texas

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Miss Mildred D. Hanlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Elmer Hanlin, Mt. Storm, was married to Corp. Delbert O. Cosner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Cosner, Blumark, W. Va., at Garrett Memorial Methodist church, Paris, Texas, October 9.

Mrs. Cosner wore a blue and white dress with blue accessories and was attended by Miss Vivian Benbau, Cleveland, Ohio and Pfc. Ray A. Benbau, father of the bride, who was best man. Corp. Cosner is stationed at Camp Maxey, Texas. They will reside at Paris, Texas.

Personal Items

Mrs. Austin Smith, Misses Elizabeth Carter, Mrs. John Belt, Norma Oates and Buss Smith returned yesterday from Harrisonburg, Va., where they visited Mrs. Phyllis Smith who is a patient in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hill left Friday for Manatee, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. L. D. Stottlemeyer, Medley is a patient in the hospital at Harrisonburg, Va.

O. R. Oates, flying instructor, Rockanoke, Va., is here visiting his family.

The Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Morrow, Jr., and sons returned yesterday from visiting relatives at Mart-

63 Selectees of Draft Board No. 4 Will Leave for Induction Station

Final Physical Examination Will Be Given in Baltimore

PROSBURG, Oct. 24—Sixty-three selectees from Draft Board No. 4 will leave Prosburg Monday morning for the Baltimore induction station to take their final examination for military service. They are as follows:

Prosburg—Joseph G. Shirley, John L. Boettner, Lawrence J. Craze, Joseph E. Fackin, Thomas E. Gall, John F. Richardson, Lawrence F. Skidmore, James P. Donahue, Joseph A. Spagener, Robert H. Hill, negro, and Paul O. Carter, negro.

Prosburg and rural routes—John J. Slivc, Webster T. Capel, Edward F. Lynch, James C. McKenzie, Jesse E. Harden, Earl T. Pryor, Ervin W. Skidmore, George W. Porter, Olin McKenzie, Raymond E. Spiker, Nelson L. Gillespie and Carl M. Brown, transferred from Oakland.

Lonaconing—Milton L. Robertson, James W. Staup, Jr., Joseph G. Humphrey, Thompson G. Moore, Harold V. Spiker, Francis Glenn Dewey T. Beeman, Peter S. Snyder and Dewey H. Buskirk.

Mt. Savage—John E. Sanson, John M. O'Neal, Robert E. Pratt, William J. Bralier, James S. Turley, Elmer C. Lashley, Millard L. Robertson, Joseph J. Emerick and James Pratt.

Barton—David O. Neat, Cecil E. Green, Leroy Dawson and David E. Brennan.

Westport—Robert C. Keller, William H. Seaber, John C. Shaw, James H. Chillo, Calvin B. Miller and Norris C. Ravenscroft, Jr.

Other sections—Charles W. LaSerte and Charles H. Boney, Luke; Joseph J. Mills, Edward J. Woods and Hugh L. Alexander, Midland; William J. Grim and Raymond J. Fabbri, Eckhart; Osborn D. Cavey, R.F.D. 4, Keyser; Marshall T. Layman, RFD 5, Cumberland; John R. Fairgrieve, Nikep; Richard K. Miller, RFD 3, Keyser, and John P. Smith, Cumberland.

Daniel E. Galloway, negro, scheduled to go with the group, was transferred to local Draft Board No. 1, Freehold, N. J.

P-T.A. Group To Meet

The parent-teacher association of the elementary school of Prosburg State Teachers college, will hold a meeting Monday evening, October 25, at 8 o'clock, in the school auditorium. The theme of the meeting will be "What Do We Do for Our Children in Healthful Living?" A panel, consisting of the following persons will discuss the subject: Miss Ellen Harvey, physical education instructor, the teacher's viewpoint; Miss Betty V. Wilson, honor student at the college, the student's viewpoint; Dr. Hilda J. Walters, local surgeon, her professional viewpoint; Mrs. A. Folk, the parent's point of view; Mrs. Rose Loble, the public health nurse's position, and Mrs. George J. Miller, the part the parent-teacher association may play.

The children's chorus of the college elementary school will render vocal numbers under direction of Miss Margaret Jones. The attendance of all parents is urged.

Announce Engagement

John A. Dilley, 32 Beall Lane, announces the engagement of his daughter, Genevieve, to Frank A. Clenette, Quincy, Mass. The wedding will take place at Quincy in November. Miss Dilley is employed at the local telephone exchange. Following the wedding, the couple will reside in Massachusetts.

Married in Rectory

Pfc. Ralph E. Folk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Folk, Pine street, and Miss Martha E. Robinson, daughter of Arthur E. and the late Mrs. Nell Morris Robinson, were married Thursday, October 21, at 8:30 p. m. in the rectory of St. Michael's church, by the Rev. Dominic A. Bonomo, assistant pastor.

They were attended by Miss Maxine Robinson and Rance Richardson, sister and brother-in-law of the bride. A reception was held at the bride's home for the immediate families, following the marriage ceremony. Pfc. Folk, stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass., returned to duty Sunday morning. His bride will reside with her father for the duration.

Werner Rites Held

Final rites for Mrs. Margaret Nickel Werner, 62, who died Tuesday morning in a Youngstown, Ohio, hospital, were held Friday at 3 p. m. in the Pocahontas Evangelical and Reformed church, by the Rev. J. E. Gindesperger, pastor, Meyersdale, Pa., officiating. The pallbearers, all relatives of the deceased, were Joseph and Shepherdstown.

Albert Hiser, Baltimore, is here visiting his mother, Mrs. Annie M. Hiser.

Mrs. W. A. Veach, Dr. Lyle Veach and Miss Peggy Veach, Mayville, are visiting in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Isaac Davis has returned from the hospital at Harrisonburg, Va., to her home at Mayville.

Joseph Smith will leave the first of the week for Cumberland where he will enter the Memorial hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hinkle, Mitchellville, Md., are here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alt and children and Mr. and Mrs. William Sears, Baltimore, are here visiting relatives and spending the weekend.

Mrs. H. F. Groves has returned from visiting John Harman, River-

were Joseph, Cecil, Nelson, William, Robert and Miles Werner. Interment was in Greenville cemetery.

To Report for Training

Turner A. Ramey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Ramey, 12 West Loo street, has been notified to report to Emory and Henry College, Emory, Va., November 1, where he has been assigned for an eight-month training period under the army V-12 program.

Following this training period, he will be returned to the V-5 program, for which he qualified this summer, for pre-flight training.

A graduate of Beall high school, 1943, Ramey, who will be eighteen November 15, was enrolled at Virginia Polytechnic Institute. He is spending a week with his parents before leaving for Emory, Va.

Frostburg Briefs

The Women's Society for Christian Service of the Allegheny Methodist church will hold a bazaar in the community hall Tuesday, October 26, commencing at 8 o'clock. A play, entitled, "You Can't Skee Me" will be presented. The affair is open to the public.

The uniform rank of the Junior Order United American Mechanics entertained the Ladies' Auxiliary Thursday evening with a program presented by the following entertainers from the Steekman dance studio: Miss Toni Dayton, Shirley Jean Ravenscroft and Dale Parker. Refreshments were served.

The degree team, under Captain William Walker, will confer the initiatory degree on a class of twenty-five candidates in Mt. Savage, November 5.

Mrs. John T. Comer, 116 Center street, is a patient at Miners hospital, with injuries sustained Friday night when she fell down a stairway at her home. She suffered body bruises and leg and foot injuries.

Frostburg Personals

The Rev. and Mrs. Carl Simon, Union Lutheran church, York, Pa., were here during the past week, the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Walter V. Simon, St. Paul's Lutheran parsonage.

The Rev. and Mrs. Stillwell, Prattburg, N. Y., are guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ward, and son, Ronald, Hill street.

James Bone, 350 Welsh Hill, who underwent a major operation at Miners hospital, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Ruth (Gerson) Hohing is home from Anniston, Ala., after visiting her husband, Pvt. Robert C. Hohing, who is stationed at Fort McClellan.

Pvt. Charles Dayton, medical detachment, Camp Claiborne, La., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Leona Dayton, Bowery street.

Pfc. James W. Thomas, marine corps, Parris Island, S. C., is home on furlough, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Walbert, Consolidation Village.

First Lieut. and Mrs. John Carter Shryock, Fort Benning, Ga., spent several days during the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carter Shryock, this city.

Eleanor J. Kight Becomes Bride of Army Instructor

Lt. Richard L. Lininger Weds Westernport Girl in Church Ceremony

WESTERNPORT, Oct. 24—Miss Eleanor J. Kight, daughter of Mr. Katherine Kight and the late L. Russell Kight, Westernport, and Lieut. Richard L. Lininger, instructor in the Army, A.F.A.S. at Leesburg, Fla., son of Mrs. Lucretia Lininger and the late Floyd Lininger, Westernport, were married at St. James Episcopal church Friday night, October 22. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. J. Harkins, rector of the church in Westernport.

The bride had as her maid of honor her sister, Miss Katherine Kight, R. N., Baltimore, and Lieut. Lininger had as his best man, John Seymour, Jr., Westernport.

The bride was attired in a brown suit with matching accessories and a corsage of orchids.

Miss Kight wore a powder blue suit, darker blue accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

Mrs. Lininger is a graduate of Bruce high school, Westernport, and is employed in Ward's pharmacy, Main street.

Lieut. Lininger is a graduate of Bruce high school and attended Potomac State school, Keyser.

The couple are on a trip to Richmond, Va. Lieut. Lininger will return to Florida and Mrs. Lininger will remain with her mother.

Homemakers Meet

The Homemakers club met at the Hammond street club Friday afternoon.

Miss Maude Bean, home demonstrator, displayed articles to be used in hospitals for our service men and demonstrated how they were made.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, November 9, in the Hammond street school. A picture will be shown on "How to Take Care of Electrical Appliances in the Home."

It is sponsored by the girls of the 4-H club and will be secured from

W. D. Gnagey Weds Pauline Mosgraves In Meyersdale

MEYERSDALE, Pa., Oct. 24—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mosgraves announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Pauline Dickey Mosgraves, to William Daniel Gnagey, son of Edgar W. Gnagey, which took place in Zion Evangelical Lutheran church with the pastor, Dr. R. M. Dunkelberger officiating, Thursday, October 14, at 3 p. m.

Attendants were Miss Virginia Herwig and Clarence Herwig. The ceremony was witnessed by the members of the immediate families of the young couple and Mrs. Dunkelberger.

The bride is a graduate of the Meyersdale high school and Franklin Commercial college, Connelville. Prior to her marriage she was employed in the department of health, Harrisburg.

The bridegroom is also a graduate of the local high school and has served with the United States Naval Reserves since June, 1942, having spent about nine months in the North African area, and was recently honorably discharged.

Upon their return from a southern trip, Mr. and Mrs. Gnagey will be associated with the former's father in the management of the Gnagey Dairy and Ice Cream Bar in Meyersdale.

Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Long announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Betty Long, to Cadet Ellsworth Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Gauntz, Meyersdale, Saturday, September 18, in Sikeston, Mo. The ceremony was performed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Carroll, whose son is a close friend of the bridegroom. The single ring ceremony was read by the Rev. M. Talbert, pastor of the First Christian church.

Mrs. Wilfred Kahl, sister of the bride, Baltimore, was matron of honor, and Cadet Bud Faulstich served as best man.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served in the banquet room of the Dunn hotel. Ten guests, all friends and associates of the bridegroom, were among the guests. Later in the evening an informal party was held at the Country club in honor of Cadet Gauntz and his bride. Cadet Gauntz is a graduate of Meyersdale high school, and prior to his enlistment in the United States Air force he was employed as a salesman in a local merchandising establishment.

Married in Church

Miss Ruth Elaine Witt, daughter of Mrs. George E. Witt, Meyersdale, and Corp. John Aloysius McKenzie, son of John A. McKenzie, Meyersdale, were married Monday evening, October 11, at 6 o'clock, by the Rev. A. K. Flora, pastor of the Brethren church, Cumberland, Md.

The bride wore a soldier blue street length dress with matching accessories, and a corsage of red roses. She graduated from Meyersdale high school with the class of 1942. The bridegroom also graduated from the local high school with the class of 1941.

Corp. McKenzie enlisted in 1942, and graduated from mechanics school at Seymour Johnson Field, N. C., also from the Douglas Aircraft School, Long Beach, Calif. He is now stationed at Gowen Field, Boise, Idaho. Prior to his enlistment in the army he was employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

Corp. McKenzie returned to camp Oct. 14, while Mrs. McKenzie will remain at her home.

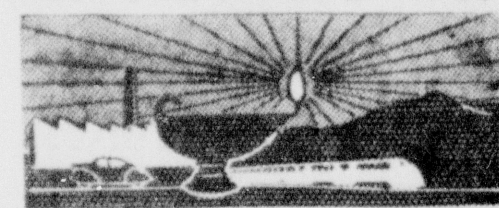
the Potomac Light and Fire Company.

Plan Halloween Party

The girls of the 4-H club of Westernport will have a Halloween party Friday evening, October 29, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Meese. Friends are invited to attend.

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New Citizens Should Secure Their Vote Now

BECAUSE so many persons put off doing a thing until it is too late when they think they have plenty of time ahead in which to do it, and also because time is slipping along, the News desires again to call attention to the necessity for new citizens of this community and county to file their Declaration of Intentions as soon as possible—today, instead of tomorrow or next week.

The Declaration of Intentions is a mere form in which a new resident of Maryland attests his intention of becoming a resident of the state and he (or she) must file it a year before an election in order to vote. That is all. There is no fee. The paper is required of new residents now in order to establish their right to vote at the important presidential and congressional elections next year. It is required under a bad law, but the law is there on the statute books nevertheless by the grace of a Democratic majority and unless it is complied with, the voter is deprived of his right of suffrage.

The plea to file the Declaration of Intentions applies, of course, to all new residents irrespective of party affiliation, except those who arrive at the age of 21 while in residence in the state and who automatically become citizens of the state with the right to vote without further ado except to see that their names are on the registration books.

But the News urges all Republicans particularly to see that new residents are filed as such because this is a party duty as well as a duty of citizenship and this newspaper would like to see the party members take a more active interest in election matters since it has barely missed the boat on occasions lately for want of just a little more interest and activity in this respect.

New residents should file their names as such at the office of the clerk of courts of Allegany county, which is the first office to the right of the entrance to the court house. As the election next year falls on November 7, it is necessary to have the declaration filed before the close of November 6 this year.

Freedom of the Air A Peacetime Problem

THE GOOD JOB that the commercial air transport companies of this country are doing in the war effort leaves their bright young men time for some homework on postwar world air transport. The Civil Aeronautics Board reports that twenty-nine applicants seek fifty foreign route certificates. That's twice as many as many companies as are now operating in the United States.

Since the CAB can authorize a route to foreign countries only with the consent of the president, the question of policy has or will come to his desk. The domestic airlines seeking foreign routes believe that they should operate on a competitive basis. But there is one dissenter, which maintains that the problem is so deeply involved in international relations that the government should work for a general treaty and set American world-wide air transport up as a monopoly.

The five senators who toured the American fronts around the world again brought up the agreement by which this country pledges itself to return all airports that it has established in foreign countries to those countries within six months after peace is established. Many persons believe that the United States is in good position to claim some advantages at these ports as a reward for having built them.

But freedom of the air is the main concern of all promoters of American postwar foreign airlines. And that problem is for the peace table and the skill of the United States representatives.

The Nomenclature Of Synthetic Tires

IT APPEARS that motorists may become familiar with synthetic rubber tires over a period of years—although not in the immediate future—and therefore a start in acquiring familiarity with classifications by types is timely. Currently, the different combinations used in synthetic rubber tires and their technical names are as follows:

S-1—Eighty per cent synthetic tread on natural rubber carcass.

S-2—Fifty per cent tread on a natural rubber carcass.

S-3—One hundred per cent synthetic

tread, one hundred per cent synthetic carcass, an all-synthetic tire.

S-4—Ninety per cent synthetic, ten per cent natural rubber, distributed throughout the casing as the manufacturer may desire.

S-5—One hundred per cent synthetic tread on natural rubber carcass.

S-6—Seventy per cent synthetic, thirty per cent natural rubber, distributed throughout the casing as the manufacturer may desire.

S-7—Alternate for S-5 permitting the manufacturer to vary the amounts of synthetic and natural between carcass and tread.

Much dust will blow down the road before the average motorist will be able to buy any of these types of rubber substitute tires without a ration certificate, but there is a faint note of encouragement in the news that production of synthetic tires is expected to reach a high peak by spring.

Cereals for Meat Is Now Predicted

EARLY in the war Americans were warned by economists that they would be forced to follow the example of peoples in other countries and substitute cereals for meat in their diet. Government officials now say this will come to pass next year. Because of a shortage of livestock feed, farmers will have no alternative to a reduction in the number of their meat animals.

There is a fair abundance of meat in most areas of the United States, but the supply is created by the condition which is in the making. Livestock producers already are marketing their animals in large quantities to meet the feed situation and some of this meat is appearing in the retail outlets. When the phase of heavy marketing of livestock is ended, there will be far less meat for civilians.

Maybe we can go along, just as we have been forced to do in going without butter, but if we have to substitute cereals for meat and then have a cereal shortage, well, one's guess as to what we shall do is as good as another's.

An Old Slogan Is Modernized

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT recently acquired a Washington, D. C., garage capable of storing 1,200 cars, most of which are not there. While Washington motorists search desperately for parking space, a newspaper check showed that during a six-week period of government operation, the garage had not housed more than ten cars at any one time.

D'Artagnon and the Three Musketeers crossed their swords and proudly enunciated their slogan of "One for all, and all for one." But this has been brought up to date in the national capital, where the idea seems to be all for one and none for all. Planning, it seems, is a most wonderful thing.

The Browser's Bookshelf

By MARSHALL MASLIN

Peter de Polnay is a fascinating fellow. A Hungarian novelist who writes in English, he was in Paris when the Germans came and he stayed there until staying any longer would have meant his life. His story, "The Germans Came to Paris" (Duell, Sloan and Pearce) is his own shrewd, sometimes profound, recital of an enormously complicated period.

De Polnay tried to enlist on August 26, 1939. It was characteristic of French bureaucracy of the period that no one ever got around to calling him up. He stayed, never believing the Germans would take Paris (although they pay it a visit every seventy years), and was still there when the Germans arrived and for some months were very "correct" indeed.

De Polnay knew all types of Frenchmen—politicians, bankers, artists, workmen, barmen—and he has a sharp and subtle mind. He is at his best when he describes devious twisting and turning of those Frenchmen who convince themselves that the Germans would purge France of its grosser elements and give it new vigor; and when he describes the quick recovery of hope and courage when the Luftwaffe was unable to bomb England into submission.

De Polnay constituted himself a one-man counter-propaganda agency. Sometimes he dispensed truths he heard over the radio. Sometimes he spread lovely lies that served the Allied cause just as capably. He continued his operations until he learned that the Germans were about to move in on him—and then he escaped into unoccupied France, to Marseilles and finally to England. Were he given to bitterness, his description of the mean crooks, plunderers and double-crossers he encountered during his flight would be a Jeremiad in itself. But De Polnay is wise and content to wait; he knows that time will bring its own revenge on those scurvy folk and he knows that many a throat will be cut before peace returns to France. But, he does no post-war planning. This is a lovely book; don't miss it.

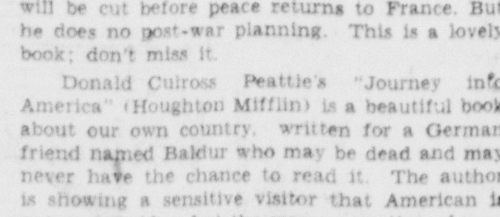
Donald Culross Peattie's "Journey into America" (Houghton Mifflin) is a beautiful book about our own country, written for a German friend named Baldur who may be dead and may never have the chance to read it. The author is showing a sensitive visitor that America is not a mere idea, but the warm accretion of rugged experiences of millions of men and women.

"My Family, Right or Wrong" by John Philip Sousa III (Doubleday Doran) is whimsy run riot. Imagination that rubes on like a great wave and dissolves in a bubblebath, the book to end all books about cockeyed family life. There's not one word in the book about the grandfather of the author, but much about the mother of the family who moved them to California because the youngsters needed new overcoats and couldn't face an Eastern winter; about the truculent father who ran the town of Chilapa; about the "thought repellent" sister Nancy who slept in a raccoon coat. Completely crazy not quite good enough.

Eve Curie has gone to England to start basic training with a Fighting French organization.

Col. Carlos Romulo whose "I Saw the Fall of the Philippines" is still a best-seller has written another book "Mother America" (Evelyn Wells helped). Out next month. That's enough from Marsh Maslin.

PANAMA BOSS



REAR ADM. HAROLD C. TRAIN, former naval intelligence chief in Washington, is shown as he took over his new duties as commandant of the Panama sea frontier and the Fifteenth naval district. He succeeds Rear Adm. Clifford E. Van Hook.

Business Crimping Benefits Britain, Lawrence Says

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23 — Recent comments in the British Parliament on the alleged views of American senators concerning British policies overseas indicate clearly that even Prime Minister Churchill does not fully understand the criticism which is being made here of the lend-lease program and its implications.

Nobody is criticizing the British policy, but there is plenty of criticism of the American attitude which is described as ranging all the way from carelessness in the matter of keeping records to an indifference to allocations of raw materials which can be better supplied from overseas sources than from our own.

In due time our congressional committees will make their reports on these subjects, and the criticism will not be centered on the British or any other foreign government. It is most unfortunate that emphasis of that kind has been given to the reports of the returning senators.

What basically is involved is a difference of viewpoint here and in Britain toward business abroad.

World Trade Essential

The British government, for instance, believes in encouraging and upholding British commerce throughout the world. The United Kingdom must have world trade and it is of paramount interest that shipping and trade routes be developed to the most profitable point possible. Hence the British instinctively think in terms of trade and postwar uses of wartime facilities.

The American government, on the other hand, takes just the opposite course. The present administration has carried on a crusade against business and business men. The vice-president of the United States is an example of the New Deal habit of devoting time even during a major war to crusades which tend to undermine confidence in the private enterprise system and to propagandize instead a system of government ownership or control.

Campaign Carried On

The administration here started a campaign during the present war against American participation in foreign cartels. The recent smear upon the oil companies which had made agreements to share trade in the foreign field in pre-war days and even in days to follow the war is an example of the administration's point of view. Yet that very type of contract is quite common in Britain and the British will be making cartel arrangements everywhere after the war whenever they can.

The administration's idea plays into the hands of British commercial interests. American business is to be kept from participation in agreements for the handling of trade outside the United States, and consequently the British will be able to step in and obtain this opportunity lost for American producers.

Investors Scuttled

The same thing may happen with respect to airplane routes, air bases and ports for shipping. Because the Roosevelt administration does not believe in upholding the interests of American business abroad—it has already scuttled American investment in Central and South America and permitted the confiscation of American property—it is quite natural for the British to begin to think in terms of the far-flung opportunities which will be forfeited by America.

Not long ago in a discussion with some naval experts the hypothetical question of what to do about certain islands in the Pacific arose. The British viewpoint, it was suggested, would be that since America is not an imperialistic nation, the islands needed for our defense in the far Pacific should not be annexed by us, but that since the British are admittedly imperialistic, it

BRINGING THE TRUTH HOME TO US



Willkie's Turn Republicanward May Bring Out Bricker, Paul Mallon Says

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 — Mr. Willkie is turning Republican. In energetic front page action of late, he has sought to correct the mechanical defects of his earlier campaign for 1944.

For instance, he has endorsed candidates, Edge, of New Jersey; Han Ley, of New York, and spoke kindly of prominent Governor Warren, of California. (Although they have not said what they think of him publicly at any rate.)

His carefully arranged Washington visit was an effort to parade his bandwagon before the eyes of reluctant or antagonistic Republican congressmen. His story, mostly told off the record—here, runs something like this:

Dewey cannot run in view of his promises, and, if he does, Willkie will get twenty-five percent of the New York delegation. MacArthur cannot campaign, and the people will not accept a man whose views are not known. Bricker can be smothered easily. Nearly all New England governors and all except two congressmen are ready to pump for Willkie. The South has been lined up—and so on. Boiled down, the Willkie attitude is in effect:

Self-made Mirage

"I can get the nomination on the first ballot if I want it." The story did not have the desired effect. The reaction it left here was that Willkie is a very smart operator, is developing into just as clever a politician as Mr. Roosevelt, and along the same lines. His bandwagon seemed to be a self-made mirage. No one could hear the foot of any horse from it.

Only one southern political leader, a Georgia national committeeman, is for Willkie. Most people here think Bricker will have the South—perhaps "has" is a better word.

A strong Willkie organization exists in New England, but Willkie's story over-estimated by perhaps fifty percent.

In short, the average Republican reaction in this anti-Willkie center of the party was only that he is making himself a formidable force to be reckoned with.

The reckoning is apt to come next. Obviously, Mr. Willkie is not now the Republican party, although no active opponent has yet appeared on the front pages against him, allowing him to have publicity matters all his own way.

Situation Ripe for Bricker

The situation is ripe for someone to take issue with him, and the someone is likely to be Governor Bricker, of Ohio.

Bricker has not yet established himself as a candidate, but might rally the anti-Willkie forces of the party if he undertakes such leadership. His agents say he has not made a political speech as yet, or shown himself. They argue that a man elected governor of Ohio three times must be a good campaigner and have a story to tell.

The main effect of the Willkie surge probably will be the drawing of Bricker out into the open, within the next few weeks.

Mr. Willkie is right about Dewey

Religious Leaders Advocate Seven Peace Principles

By ZACHARY TAYLOR

AP Features Writer

Boldly and with unparalleled unity, leaders of Protestants, Catholics and Jews in the United States have spoken out in identical statements for "seven key principles of peace."

It is the first document of its kind in religious history.

While it speaks only for the religious leaders who signed and not for corporate church groups, it definitely places places religious forces against isolationism as a national policy. If the planned educational activity in behalf of the principles is carried out by the groups represented, most of 65 million Americans with church affiliations may well become interested.

Seven Principles

The leadership is prepared to insist that these key principles guide their peacemakers:

1. Moral law must govern world order—a practical recognition that sovereignty rests in God.

2. Right of the individual must be assured.

3. Rights of oppressed, weak or colonial peoples must be protected.

4. Rights of minorities must be secured.

5. International institutions to maintain peace with justice must be organized.

6. International economic cooperation must be developed.

7. A just social order within each state (nation) must be achieved.

Pattern of Unity

These ideals are the antithesis of American political mind following the last war. And in proposing a world "brotherhood" under a sovereign God, religion itself has set a pattern of unity with the accord of three faiths.

At first analysis the accord might appear to be a tremendous political effort, with portents of the old church-state rivalries. However, the "seven principles" are not presented as the campaign of an organized group. They were born of negotiation, not of conference. There is no integrated inter-faith sponsorship, although joint educational activity is not excluded.

The principles are not being offered for support of other nations, but widespread distribution does not preclude the possibility. Indeed, in the creation of the principles, acknowledgment is made that Christmas allocations of Pope Pius XII, statements of Archbishops of Canterbury and York, and the Protestant-Catholic Oxford Conference furnished helpful background.

Strong Indorsements

And it is thus that the respective negotiators could commend them to Catholics as "minimum requirements of a peace which Christians can endorse," to Protestants as "proposals which must find expression in national policies" and to Jews as having "sanction in Judaism."

Whether this will end the stream of peace plans from religious sources (there have been nearly 100), is a matter of the future. Religion's new peace charter seeks to dispel the confusion, both for the elected and the electorate, in taking a unified position.

Too Many Tax Guesstimates

From the Pittsburgh Press

Challenging all basic Treasury estimates, the National Association of Manufacturers has advised Congress it "should not increase existing rates or impose new taxes at this time."

That will sound pleasant to many ears, in Congress and out.

But it seems to us the lesson Congress should learn is that it must equip itself to get its own estimates of earnings, of income, of tax burdens.

For example, the NAM says that corporate earnings for 1943, after payment of taxes and dividends, and including companies with losses, will be 2.1 billion dollars, as compared with a Treasury estimate of 3.5 billion.

The Treasury had said that after paying dividends, corporations would have added to their capital out of earnings an estimated eleven billion dollars during the three years 1941-43. But the NAM says the total comes to only a little more than 6.5 billion.

As compared with official estimates that expenditures next year will run up to 106 billion dollars, the NAM says "there is evidence" that expenditures are likely to be considerably below 104 billion.

The Treasury says that existing tax rates will yield roughly 40.1 billion next year, while the NAM claims that present tax laws will produce 44.5 billion.

The Treasury's proposed new rates to raise an additional 10.5 billion dollars in taxes are called by the NAM "unsound and unrealistic to the point of bordering on the fantastic."

The NAM often has been wrong before, and so has the Treasury. Congressmen know that.

The tax-bill writers can accept either the Treasury's figures or those of the NAM, or they can use a ouija board to guess between them.

Instead of guessing which, if either, is right, Congress should augment its own Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation with enough experts to gather its own estimates of earnings, of income, of tax burdens. Only in that way can it fully discharge its responsibility to lay taxes fairly.

Morning Motto

It is the weakness and danger of republics, that the vices as well as virtues of the people are represented in their legislation.—MRS. MARY H. HUNT.

Factographs

Ninety per cent of the dogs offered for war service fail to meet Army specifications.

ASK ADAM

CHAPTER FORTY-FIVE

ADAM was thinking things far more serious. Otto—sullen—never very friendly. And Mrs. Rotter, the pantry woman, helping her nephew buy a motor boat. Where did she ever get enough money for such a purpose? Could it be that it was helping—that he was in some strange way mixed up with sabotage? But no, he mustn't start thinking like that again. Things were running smoothly, and he must not begin imagining that every act around the factory was connected with saboteurs. It was childish of him. He must forget such matters, at least for tonight. There was the dress rehearsal, and he wanted to see his friend, the play was written by his friend, Peter.

"Here's where we light!" he said, snatching the car in front of the schoolhouse. He helped Susan out and took her suitcase. "I'll carry it for you," he said. "Good luck! And don't squirm so when I make love to you."

"I'll try not to, Adam. But—" "At least you can be sure that Bill's not going to barge in tonight."

"Yes, I can be sure of that," said Susan. And she wanted to add, "But I can't be sure he's not making love to Alicia Carter."

Then she took her suitcase from Adam and hurried on to her dressing room. Adam went to the one he was to share with Jack Vinton. Jack was already there.

"Hi, there, leading man!" Jack greeted, shoving his naked legs into a pair of soiled slacks. "Do these look as though I'd worn them when mowing the lawn? That's what the script calls for."

"They look as though you'd rolled on the lawn in them," said Adam. He opened his suitcase and hung up the sports things and the "Plenty of time," he said. "I don't want to get into those togs just yet."

There was a tap at the door. "Come in!" Adam called.

The door opened and Mrs. Platt entered. "Adam, have you seen Brenda?" she asked, looking worried.

"Not since yesterday," Adam replied. "Why?"

"She hasn't shown up yet," said Mrs. Platt, "and she has the script. Good heavens, if she doesn't get here in time, and one of you forgets your lines, why—"

"Mr. North!" someone called from outside. "Mr. North, you're wanted on the telephone in the superintendent's office."

"Thanks," Adam replied. "Excuse me, you two!" he added, and hurried out. A moment later he picked up a receiver and said, "Hello! Adam North speaking."

"Adam, this is Brenda," said a voice at the other end of the line. "Get a doctor and get out here as quickly as you can. Hurry!"

"A doctor?" said Adam, startled. "Are you ill?"

"No, it's Zeb Rotter. He's been shot."

"Shot!" Adam exclaimed. "Good Lord!"

"Hurry, please. I can't bring Zeb in, he's bleeding badly. I've already telephoned the police, and—"

"Do stop repeating everything, Adam," Brenda said impatiently. "Come on—out—now!"

"Coming!" Adam slammed up the receiver and ran back to the dressing room. "Hold the rehearsal," he said. "I have to leave—right away."

Mrs. Platt stared at him. "What is the matter, Adam? You're white as a sheet."

"Can't tell you now," Adam said, dashing out. "I'll see you later."

"Well, of all things!" Mrs. Platt gasped.

Jack reached for his hat. "I'm going, too!"

Mrs. Platt grabbed his arm. "You're doing no such thing!" she said, and held on to him like grim death.

And while they struggled, Adam leaped into his car and drove off. He picked up the nearest doctor and sped out toward the old Leigh place, where Brenda Leigh was bending over Zeb Rotter, trying to staunch the flow of blood from a wound in his side. A pan of blood-stained water was beside her, and Aunt Mary Mosher, eyes wide with fear, stood by with fresh cloths.

"There, there, sonny," Brenda said gently. "The doctor'll be here soon, and then—"

"But the—men—" Zeb said with effort, "they'll get to the factory. Please let me go. I got to warn everybody."

"I've already warned them," said Brenda. "Don't you worry. Zeb. Everything's going to be all right."

Zeb tried to smile. "They certainly went for me—when they found out I knew what they were up to," he said.

"Shh!" Brenda soothed. "Lie still now until the doctor comes." She cradled the boy's head in her arms, and there were tears in her eyes. "You're a brave, brave boy, Zeb."

It was thus that Adam found the doctor working with Zeb, she pulled Adam into the next room. "Those two men, Adam!" she said excitedly. "They're saboteurs. Zeb excited out just now, and tried to get to town to warn you. And they shot him. He staggered here to get me to phone, and—and now he may die."

"But where are they?" Adam demanded. "Where did Zeb leave them?"

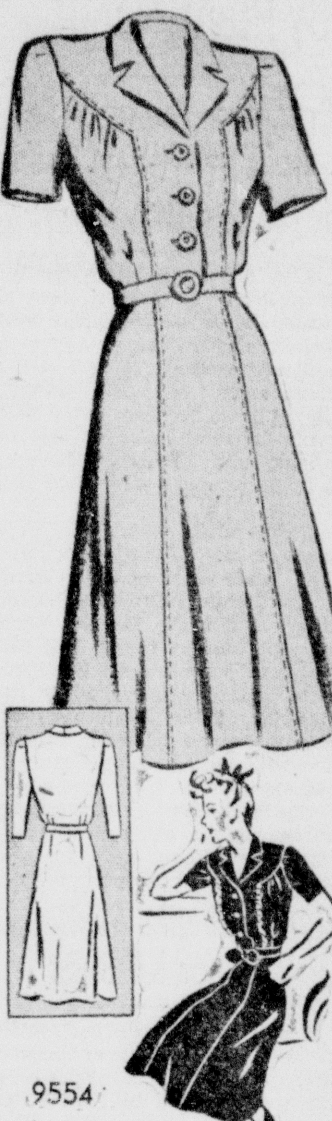
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Theaters Today

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Said to be one of the season's funniest offerings, RKO Radio's "A Lady Takes a Chance" now at the Liberty theater, co-stars Jean Arthur and John Wayne in a gay story of a white-collar girl and a rodeo rider whom she meets in a vacation trip through the Pacific Northwest.

Charles Winninger, Phil Silvers and Mary Field head the featured cast of the Frank Ross production.

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which bases most of its hilarious happenings on the heroines attempts to drop a matrimonial loop around the rope-shy westerner.

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"Shadow of a Doubt" Showing at Garden

Now playing at the Garden theater is "Shadow of a Doubt," an Alfred Hitchcock production. Joseph Cotten and Teresa Wright are starred, and the supporting cast includes Macdonald Carey and Wallace Ford.

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Girl Scouts Will Present Play as Banquet Feature

Presentation Will Cover History and War Time Activities

The local Girl Scout troops will present a play covering the history of scouting and the different phases of its war time activities in connection with the annual Mother-Daughter banquet, which will be held Monday evening, November 1, at 8 o'clock in the recreation hall of the Centre Street Methodist church.

The program, under the direction of Mrs. Betty Fey and Miss Betty Gushue, will include skits on home-making, victory gardens, first aid and salvage by members of the various troops.

Girl Scout Troop No. 4, will open the program with the color guard ceremony. A foreign skit, depicting international friendship and representing the United Nations which have Girl Scouting, will be enacted by Senior Troop No. 14. The characters will be in costumes of the respective nations.

Sketches will also be given by Troop No. 2 on home-making and victory gardens; Intermediate Troop No. 21 and Brownie Troop No. 33 on First Aid and child care, and Troop No. 10 on salvage, showing the salvaging of fats and paper.

There will be two rehearsals for the skits, one at 7 o'clock Thursday evening in the little house and a dress rehearsal at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in the recreation hall of the Centre Street Methodist church.

Two Bible Classes Plan Yule Party

The Loyal Daughters' Bible Class of the Kingsley Methodist church decided to hold its annual Christmas party jointly with the Frances E. Willard Bible Class at the Central Y.M.C.A., early in December. Plans for the party were made at a meeting of the organization in the church social hall Friday evening.

Mrs. Marguerite Albertson, who presided at the meeting, appointed Mrs. Olive Nichols, Mrs. Ethel Zimmerman and Mrs. Mamie Hinkle on a committee to cooperate with the committee of the P. E. Willard class in making arrangements for the Christmas party.

After the business session a Halloween party was held. A "Tale of the Dead Man" and a "Ghost Walk" were presented as the feature entertainment. Mrs. Hinkle, Mrs. Tillie Leasure and Miss Ruth Leason were hostesses. Prizes were won by Mrs. Thelma Minke and various teams. Twenty-one members were present.

The next meeting of the organization will be held Thursday evening, November 18. Hostesses will be Mrs. Virginia Lillard, Mrs. Thelma Minke and Mrs. Adelaide Mesman.

LaVale Brownie Troop Sponsors Card Party

Local Girl Scouts have volunteered to care for children of mothers desiring to attend the card party sponsored by LaVale Brownie Troop, No. 38, November 6, at Fire Hall, LaVale. All children from two years of age up will be taken care of at the Girl Scout House, Greene street.

Bridge, 500 and set back will be played at the party and articles made by the Brownies will be on display and will be sold. Mrs. Roy Lottig will sell potted plants from her own greenhouse and the proceeds will be used by the Brownies for materials to sew.

Mrs. Frank Tepper and Mrs. Douglas Smith, leaders of the troop, are in charge of the affair.

Prizes Are Presented At Halloween Party

Edith Sweeney and Elliot Bloodworth were awarded prizes for the most original costumes at the annual Halloween party for the Mount Royal school children Friday evening.

The feature attractions of the evening were a minstrel show presented by the children of the fifth and sixth grades and a Halloween drill by the third and fourth grades. Various other skits were presented by the pupils of the remaining grades.

Refreshment booths were in charge of the Parent-Teacher association of the school.

PREVIEW OF 1944



THIS PRETTY YOUNG LADY gives you an idea of what you can expect to see at the beach this coming summer. Although the WPB has limited the number of swim suit styles, the girls still will look O.K. In case you're interested the suits made of sharkskin.

Events in Brief

Miss Catherine Moore will represent the Ursuline Academy Alumnae at the Maryland Chapter, International Federation of Catholic Alumnae, dinner conference, which will be held Tuesday, November 9, at the Hotel Stafford, Baltimore. This announcement was made at a meeting of the Ursuline Alumnae this afternoon in Ursuline Academy assembly hall. Miss Madelyn Wallace, president, was in charge of the meeting.

The Rev. Father Augustine Aylward, C.S.S.R., Redemptorist Order, Boston, will address the Our Lady of Good Counsel Vocation Club of Western Maryland, today at 1:30 o'clock in St. Patrick's Catholic church. The students of Girl's Central high school, Ursuline Academy, St. Mary's high school and St. Michael's school, Frostburg, will participate in the services.

The Baltimore and Ohio Health for Victory members will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Queen City hotel to enroll in the U. S. Food Administration's "Food Fights for Freedom" crusade. The entire membership will be asked to take the pledge of the crusade.

Mrs. Ada Twigg, Mrs. Lucy Mull, P. Biller and Robert Englebach were prize-winners at the card party sponsored by the Star of the East Commandry, No. 461, Knights of Malta, in the temple on Prospect Square.

The deadline for registering for the Girl Scout Mother-Daughter banquet is tomorrow. The banquet will be held at the recreation hall of the Centre Street Methodist church, November 1.

The Auxiliary of Henry Hart Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home, with Mrs. Helene Bujac presiding.

Plans for Achievement Day program, November 2, will be made at the meeting of the Cresap Home-makers Club at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning in the Cresap town Methodist church social hall.

The Women's Division of the Baltimore and Ohio Co-operative Traffic Program will hold another in the series of card parties at 8:30 o'clock this evening at the French building, Williams street.

Mrs. J. L. Biggs' Sunday school class of the Calvary Methodist church, Ridgeley, will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Miss Louise Jewell.

Sorority Will Meet

The Theta Alpha Chapter of the Delta Theta Phi Sorority will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock in the George Williams room of the Central Y.M.C.A. Mrs. Margaret Clancy will preside.

An educational program will be presented under the direction of Miss Mary Rice and Mrs. Anna B. Higgins.

The meeting will be preceded by a spaghetti dinner at 6:30 o'clock. Arrangements are in charge of Miss Helen Heuer, chairman of the social committee.

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WCS Circles Will Mark Anniversary

Four Groups of Kingsley Church Plan Dinner Tomorrow

The four Circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Kingsley Methodist church will hold a third anniversary party in the form of a covered dish dinner 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening in the church.

The guest speaker of the evening will be Mrs. Robert Young of Davis Memorial church, who will review the book "We Who Are Americans". The regular business meeting of the organization will be held after the dinner. Mrs. Thelma Wigal will preside.

A prize will be awarded to the Circle with the largest percentage of members present.

Personals

Second Class Petty Officer Forrest Hoffman has returned to the Norfolk, Va., Naval Base after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoffman, 109 Eutaw place.

Pfc. Thomas Conlon, stationed with a military police unit at Indiantown Gap, Pa., was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mayor and Mrs. Thomas F. Conlon, 208 Schley street.

Mrs. George W. Deffenbaugh, 823 Shawnee Ave., will leave today to visit her husband at Bainbridge Naval Training Station.

Miss Greta Diller, student nurse at Memorial hospital, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Diller, 920 Piedmont Ave., underwent a minor operation yesterday at the hospital.

Pfc. J. Walter Diller, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Diller, Sr., returned to Maxwell field today after spending a ten day furlough at his home. This is his first visit home since he entered the service ten months ago.

Apprentice Seaman Andrew J. Kompanek, Jr., who is training under the Navy V-12 program at Iowa State college, Ames, Iowa, is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Kompanek, 511 Pearre avenue.

Sgt. Raymond O. Wallace, army air corps, returned to Salt Lake City, Utah, after spending a fifteen day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Marian N. Wallace, 445 North Mechanic street.

Miss Margaret Stalnaker, Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stalnaker, 817 Gephart drive.

Mrs. Cedric Miller, and daughter, Betty Ann, 441 Bond street, are visiting her husband, Corp. Cedric Miller, at Camp Claiborne, La. Mrs. F. L. Hurt Bedford road, also visited her son, Corp. Miller. She was accompanied by Mr. Hurt.

Mrs. Virginia Rankin, this city, is visiting her husband, Pvt. Jesse W. Rankin, Camp Edwards, Mass.

Cadet William Treiber, has returned to Massanutten Military academy, Woodstock, Va., after spending the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Treiber, 602 Louisiana avenue.

Miss Edna Oss, 403 Sheridan place, visited New York over the weekend.

Mrs. Guy Davis, 19 Potomac street, Mrs. Elsie Morris, 430 Homer street, and Miss Joan Welsh, Cecelia street, are visiting Cadet Fred Davis at Akron, O.

Miss Margaret Cronin, Cincinnati, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Ketzner, 402 Louisiana avenue.

Miss Pearl Deenen, who has been visiting here at her former home, 400 Race street, returned to Portsmouth, Va., where she is employed in the personnel office of the Norfolk navy yard.

Mrs. Jack Allen Murrell, Ridgeley, W. Va., left to join her husband, Lt. Murrell, Fort Benning, Ga. She was accompanied to Washington by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weakley, and Miss Faye Murrell.

Corp. James A. McCourt, army air base, DeRidder, La., is on furlough at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. E. Pierce, Ridgeley, W. Va.

Mrs. LaVonne Young, 1038 Myrtle street, and Mrs. Mae Hartman, 507 Warren street, returned from Akron, O., where they were recovering from an auto accident on September 16.

Sgt. Melvin Dale Wright, Camp Cooke, Calif., is spending a furlough with his wife, Mrs. Bettie Clower Wright, 507 Frederick street, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wright, Park Heights.

James Lancaster, Mt. Savage, is improving in Allegheny hospital following an appendectomy.

Seaman Second Class James E. Ravenscroft returned to the Philadelphia navy yard after spending a seven-day furlough with his wife and infant son, this city.

Lt. Ralph Bowen returned to El Centro, Calif., after spending a short leave with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Bowen, 209 Washington street.

Pvt. Hugh (Mac) McMullen, who was recently transferred from Camp Shelby, Miss., to Fort George G. Meade, is spending a brief furlough at home, 409 Washington street.

Lutheran Conference Will Hold Rally Here Tomorrow

Reports of Baltimore and Roanoke Meetings Will Be Heard

Reports from the sixty-first annual state convention of the Women's Mission Society, Maryland Synod, United Lutheran Women, held in Baltimore early this month and from the Roanoke Conference of the society, will furnish the highlights of the annual rally of the Mountain Conference of Lutheran churches, which will be held at St. Paul's church tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Mrs. James Orr, official delegate to the Roanoke convention, will report in full on the activities which took place. Mrs. Walter Scheermesser, life and in memoriam secretary, will make a report from that department. The two-day meeting of Congress, the youth division of the group, held parallel with the women's meetings in Roanoke, will be reported by Miss Catherine Ayers and Miss Madeline Walsh.

Delegates who attended the Baltimore conference were Mrs. Orr, delegate from the Mayne Kephart Missionary Society; Miss Vera Gurel, delegate from the Women's Missionary Society of St. Paul's; Mrs. Albert Schade from the Sarah Anthony Society; Miss Ida Stark of the St. Luke's Society and Mrs. D. A. Roth and Miss Pauline Fisher, delegates from the Maude Perdue Society of St. John's Lutheran church, Frostburg, Mrs. Scheermesser and Mrs. E. Lee Fresh also attended.

Vocal selections at the rally will be given by Mrs. Blanche Stanton Gunter, soprano, accompanied by Mrs. Bowersox. Mrs. Howard Shaffer, Frostburg, will be in charge of devotions.

Pastors from churches represented in the Mountain Conference will also attend.

Mrs. Fresh, president of the Conference, will be in charge of the rally, which will be held in the form of a "town meeting of the air."

Youth Fellowship Elects Officers

Miss Louise Jewell Named President by Ridgeley Church Group

Miss Louise Jewell was elected president of the Youth Fellowship organization of Calvary Methodist church, Ridgeley, at the regular organization worship period this evening. Other officers elected were Miss Eleanor J. Perry, vice president; Miss Theurlane Castle, secretary; James Flannigan, treasurer; Miss Dorothy Graham, chairman of worship; Miss Wanda Decker, chairman of world friendship; Miss Jeanne Kesmore, chairman of community service and Miss Eldred Biggs, chairman of recreation. Each chairman will select a working committee.

Miss Jeanne Kesmore and Miss Eleanor Ruth Walker, captains of the Youth Fellowship Bowling team, announced that a meeting will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock to organize teams. The teams will bowl every Friday night at 7 o'clock in St. Peter and Paul's bowling alley.

Rotarians Will Hear Col. Joseph Caldara

Col. Joseph D. Caldara, formerly of Mt. Savage, who recently returned by plane on official business from the Southwest Pacific, will be the guest speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Cumberland Rotary Club tomorrow at 12:15 p. m. in the Central Y.M.C.A.

A graduate of the University of Maryland, Col. Caldara has been associated with the government as a flier when transportation of air mail was first inaugurated.

Col. Caldara has been connected with aviation since 1930 and, before being mustered into the service after our entry into the present war, was employed by the Goodrich Rubber Company in Washington, D. C., and Richmond, Va.

Textile Union Plans Pre-Hallowe'en Dance

Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, will hold a pre-Hallowe'en dance Friday from 9:15 p. m. until 2 a. m. in the State armory, for members of the local, as well as service men and women. It was announced by the special activities committee last night.

Service men and women, whether former members of TWUA or not, are invited to attend free. Civilians are expected to make a donation to buy cigarettes for soldiers overseas. Marty Flynn and his Society Ramblers will play.

William E. Meagher is chairman of the committee in charge, which comprises Lester Mull, John L. Estes, Thomas Condon, Edward Brookman, Sylvester Butts, Charles Barkins, Pearl Miller, Janet Castle, Lena Hebb Wolfe, Alberta Mulligan, Russell Minnick, James Elliott and Frances Petenbrink.

An average of 600 ships of the British Navy are always at sea.

Dougherty, 709 Lincoln street, are spent the weekend in Washington, D. C.

John B. Gunning, 89, was admitted to Allegheny hospital Saturday.

PERFECT BALANCE



PERCHED PRECARIOUSLY on the edge of the forehead is this tiny pillbox hat of turquoise suede fabric with a choux of silver fox sweeping upward in a spiral. The hat, a Peg Fisher original, is anchored securely by a head-fitting back piece.



Pvt. Thomas James McMahon, 628 North Centre street, is a member of the ordnance mobile maintenance unit, according to information furnished by headquarters in the European theater of operations. Operating from shops on wheels, the men are responsible for keeping the vehicles of a large infantry unit in battle trim.

Aviation Cadet William M. Duncan, formerly of 801 Lafayette avenue, will begin basic training as a pilot at Walnut Ridge, Ark., after completing another phase of that training at Helena Aero Tech, Helena, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pannone, 433 Race street, received word that their son, Franklin C. Pannone, is somewhere in Australia.

Mrs. Jane Mertens, 722 Leiper street, received word that her husband, Petty Officer Third Class Robert P. Mertens, arrived overseas.

Aviation Cadet Edward L. Athey, formerly of 838 Gephart drive, is taking pre-flight training at the army air force school for pilots at San Antonio, Tex.

Donald Thomas Wampelt, formerly of Westernport, has been promoted to corporal with the army air forces at San Juan, Puerto Rico. Mrs. James W. Harris, 606 Bedford street, received word that her husband, Corp. James W. Harris, underwent an operation October 1 in North Africa.

Word was received that Brice Weese, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weese, Wiley Ford, W. Va., has been promoted to corporal and received the good conduct medal in New Guinea.

Air Cadet Fred Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Davis, 19 Potomac street, has been transferred from the University of Akron, O., to the classification center, San Antonio, Tex.

Lt. Ralph H. Brant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Brant, LaVale, recently completed training as a pilot of a flying fortress at Roswell, New Mexico, and has been transferred to Moses Lake air base, Washington, where he will join his combat crew and begin flight training.

Corp. Robert H. Gilpin, Camp Beale, Calif., has been promoted to sergeant according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Helen Gilpin, Bedford road.

John Louis Stephens, seaman second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephens, 327 Central avenue, has been transferred to Camp Peary, Williamsburg, Va.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH CONDUCTS CHILDREN'S AND MEN'S MISSIONS

A mission for men opened last evening in St. Patrick's Catholic church and will continue through Sunday, October 31. The mission is being conducted by the Redemptorist Fathers, the Rev. Augustine Aylward, C. S.S.R. and the Rev. Eugene McGillicuddy, C.S.S.R.

Mission masses throughout the week will be at 5:30 and 7 a. m., and services at night will commence at 7:45 o'clock.

All married men, as well as single, including all high school boys are expected to attend the mission services, both morning and evening.

A children's mission opened yesterday at the 8:30 o'clock Mass and will be continued today, tomorrow and Wednesday. All children, including those attending public school, are expected to attend the 8 o'clock mass each morning.

The Papal Blessing was given at the concluding service of the women's mission yesterday at 3 o'clock. This mission service opened on Sunday, October 17.

Recital Is Given By Piano Pupils

Program Features Selections by William Eisenberger, Jr.

The advanced piano pupils of Mrs. Peter G. Cowden were presented in a piano recital Friday evening at her home on Aviret Ave.

The program featured William Eisenberger, Jr. His selections, played from memory, were Beethoven's Funeral March, and the Adagio and Allegretto Movements from Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata."

Other pupils taking part in the program were Jane Auman, Betty Hill, Mary Frances Hill, Wanilla Hunter, Monica Browning, Dorothy Billmyer, Dorothy Dawson, Marian Buckles, Martha Ewing, Lois Stine, Marjorie Valentine, Melvin Woolford, Daisey Aldritch, Mary Arde Heinrich, Betty Jo Barnes, Jane Adams, Jeanne Schaeffer, Theodore Cowden, Shirley Alkire and Ella May Marker.

The next recital by Mrs. Cowden's pupils will be given in the early spring.

Soldier Thanks Auxiliary Of VFW for Kit Bags

A letter of appreciation for Red Cross kit bags filled by members of the Auxiliary of Henry Hart Post has been received by Mrs. Helene Bujac, president.

The writer, Pvt. Paul Rohebaug, of York, Pa., said he was writing for the crowd, as many of them did not have time to write, though they certainly "prized and appreciated the articles," and opening the kits helped to pass the time on the long sea voyage.

Mrs. Bujac said the kits contained writing paper, a pencil, shoe laces, razor blades, safety and straight pins, needles, buttons, a shoe polishing cloth, chewing gum, and a candy bar.

Joseph Kozdras Weds Catherine L. Sanner

Mrs. Thomas Robinette, 119 Oak street, announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Catherine Louise Sanner, to Joseph Kozdras, Weirton, W. Va. The ceremony took place at St. Mary's Catholic church, October 2, with the Rev. W. Royce Russell, assistant pastor, officiating.

The bride attended De Paul's Institute for the Deaf, Brookline, Pittsburgh, and is a graduate from the Maryland State school for the Deaf, Frederick, Md. The bridegroom is a graduate of the West Virginia School for the Deaf, Romney.

Rod and Gun Club To Donate to War Fund

A donation of \$50 plus all the profits made during the week by the Cumberland Rod and Gun club will be made to the National War fund drive in Ridgeley, it was decided at a special meeting of the club.

Robert "Lefty" Grove, former big league pitcher, and his motion pictures will be a feature attraction at the meeting of the organization Wednesday evening.

A party will be held in the club house Thursday at 8:30 p. m. Earl Moore is chairman of the committee in charge of this party.

The club now has over 500 members and seventy-eight former members are serving in the armed forces. Cartons of cigarettes will be sent to each of these Christmas gifts.

Junior Volunteers Will Honor New Members

Four new members of the Junior Volunteer Service Corps will be guests of honor at a subscription dinner to be held Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Cumberland Country Club.

The members being honored are Mrs. Charles Catherman, Jr., Mrs. John Abbott, Mrs. Gilbert W. Benjamin and Mrs. Earl Zepp.

After the dinner a bridge party will be held. The guest list includes thirty members of the Corps.

History Club Plans Book Mending Project

Members of the History club of Allegheny high school made plans to help with the mending of books at the Cumberland Free Public Library, at a meeting Friday night at the home of Miss Virginia Oglebay, Sperry Terrace.

Talks on present war events were given by Miss Jeanne Hess and Miss Eleanor Andrews.

Plans were also made for the club to present an assembly program in Allegheny high school Friday, November 26.

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Memorial Auxiliary Will Elect Annual Officers

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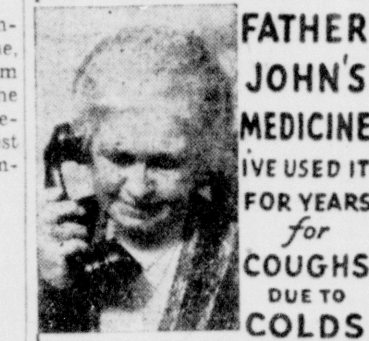
Miss Betty L. Curry's Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Curry, 704 Montgomery avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Lorine Curry, to Walter Rowe Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Webster K. Edwards, 817 Hill Top Drive. Miss Curry is a graduate of Fort Hill high school and of the Maryland State School of Beauty Culture. She is employed in the office of the Celanese corporation.

Mr. Edwards graduated from Fort Hill high school, Potomac State school, Keyser, and received his B. S. degree in chemistry at West Virginia University, Morgantown. He is employed as a chemist at the Celanese. No definite date has been set for the wedding.

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Hospital Group To Hear Reports at Meeting To-day at 7:30 p. m.

The biennial election of officers on the Memorial hospital auxiliary will be held at the annual meeting of the organization this evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Richard Lowndes presiding. Directors for terms of six, four and two years will also be elected.

Annual reports will be given and other business will be transacted.

The retiring officers are Mrs. Lowndes, president; Mrs. Walter C. Capper, first vice president; Miss Nell Bane, second vice president; Mrs. Irving Millenson, secretary; Mrs. Gerard Everstine, treasurer, and Mrs. Joseph Lichtenstein, financial secretary.

Following the business meeting Mr. and Mrs. Glenn R. Studebaker will be honor guests of the auxiliary at a tea. Mr. Studebaker is the new superintendent of the hospital.



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Grid Season Will Hit Climax Next Two Saturdays

Irish, Army, Navy and Penn Tossed into Round-Robin

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (AP)—The next two Saturdays bring the 1943 football season to an early climax. This weekend the schedule provides:

Notre Dame vs. Navy at Cleveland.

Army vs. Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

Minnesota vs. Northwestern at Evanston.

Duke vs. Georgia Tech at Atlanta.

Southern California vs. San Diego at Los Angeles.

Tulsa vs. Southwestern Texas at Tulsa.

After having only seven days to recover from that array of thrillers, the football fanatics will have this weekend from which to pick the winners on Nov. 6:

Navy vs. Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

Notre Dame vs. Army at New York.

Georgia Tech vs. Louisiana State at Atlanta.

Southern California vs. San Diego at Los Angeles.

Purdue vs. Minnesota at Minneapolis.

Southern Methodist vs. Texas A. and M. at College Station.

The schedule thus tosses the four teams which have been hovering near the top in the Associated Press's weekly polls—Notre Dame, Army, Navy and Pennsylvania—into a round-robin and pits every one of the remaining highly-ranked teams against a worthy foe.

Navy Pressed To Win

The Irish, Quaker and Cadets, playing well within themselves, won easily last Saturday but Navy had to go all out to defeat Georgia Tech, 28 to 14, with Hal Hamberg passing for three touchdowns and scoring the fourth himself.

Pennsylvania found Columbia's be-draggled Lions even easier than the 33 to 0 score indicates while Yale's ends hemmed in Army's Glenn Davis but the remainder of the Cadet backs took up the burden for a 39 to 7 verdict.

Notre Dame topped forty points for the fourth time this season in downing Illinois, 47 to 0, as a home-town farewell for Angelo Bertelli who is listed to report to the marines at the end of the month.

Michigan posted Minnesota's worst defeat in history onto the record book with 49 to 6, scoring the first seven points in fifteen seconds.

Purdue got three touchdowns in the final quarter to put down a stubborn Iowa outfit, 28 to 7, and Otto Graham personally shepherded Northwestern to a 13 to 0 decision over Ohio State's fuzz-faced lads.

Indiana passed Wisconsin dizzy, 34 to 0.

Nebraska registered a mild surprise by downing Kansas, 7 to 6, for the thirtieth straight year but, the upset in no-wise compared to the 20 to 7 setback Colgate dished out to Cornell with Freshman Frank Muehlhauser in the hero's role.

Penn State's 45 to 0 triumph over Maryland and Pitt's 18 to 0 conquest of Bethany also were mild eyebrow lifters.

College of Pacific Bows

Southern California, Washington and Colorado college all moved higher in sectional consideration in their respective areas. The Trojans, with George Callaway tossing to Brother Howard for the lone score, downed College of Pacific, 6 to 0, and Washington dumped March Field among the defeated teams, 27 to 7.

Colorado college with its best seven since the days of Dutch Clark trimmed Colorado university, 16 to 6.

The southwest's roughest game was played under the lights and after the wounds all had been dressed Southwestern Institute of Louisiana, with Alvin Dark in the driver's seat, had knocked off Southern Methodist, 27 to 6. Texas drubbed Rice, 58 to 0, and North Texas Aggies held Texas A. and M. to a scoreless draw.

Louisiana State, with the 200-pound Steve Van Buren in front, repeated its early season over Georgia, 27 to 6. Tulane sneaked by Southern Methodist, 12 to 6. Wake Forest measured VMI, 20 to 0, and Georgia Pre-Flight outscored North Carolina Pre-Flight, 20 to 7.

Ways To Overcome Shell Shortage

PIERRE, S. D., Oct. 24 (AP)—South Dakotans are finding ways to beat the shortage of shotgun shells and the cartridges.

Jim Thomas of Woonsocket, a hunter for most of his 80 years, dug out his early-day double-barrel muzzle loader. He has to measure out the powder and shot between salvos, but he claims he gets the pheasants.

William Wartenweiler, Dupree, S. C., used his only available weapon when he came unexpectedly upon a coyote. He hurled a hammer, stunning the beast, then finished it off with a pitchfork.

Guy Foreman has reduced his hunting to an efficiency basis. He has shot into a flock of flushing pheasants and got four, with one shot, with eye-witnesses to back him.

Catchers Prevail

Nineteen of the seventy-six National League managers who graduated from the player ranks were catchers.

JOE'S WIFE TO SING



WIFE OF JOE LOUIS, the heavyweight champion, Marva Trotter Louis, above, will make her debut as a singer in New York in December. Mrs. Louis explained that while her husband had earned passes totalling \$2,374,866 during his ring career, all that stopped when he entered the army in January, 1942. "We're not broke," she said, "but we have certain properties and other possessions that must be kept up." They have a daughter, Jacqueline, eight months old.

Old Liners Spoil Perfect Record For State Teams

Navy, Bainbridge and Curtis Bay Coast Guard Win Games

(By The Associated Press)

Maryland's seagoing footballers had the situation well in hand when the final grid scores were hung up this weekend as Navy, Bainbridge and Curtis Bay Coast Guard rolled to victories.

The University of Maryland spoiled a perfect state record by bowing to a superior Penn State eleven, 45 to 0.

Navy started slow but piled up a 28-14 score over Georgia Tech in the Baltimore stadium; the Bainbridge Naval Training Station's assorted stars mowed down the Camp Lee (Va.) Soldiers 49-0 in a Sunday contest at the army post and the Coast Guard Cutters topped Fort Monroe (Va.) 13-6 at Fort Monroe.

The Midshipmen's rooters were plenty worried when the Rambling Wrecks and the Navy were neck-and-neck at fourteen-all when the third quarter ended.

But Navy's little half, Hal Hamberg, saved the game and the Tar's spotless record by tossing two touchdowns in the final quarter. It was an undecided-to-the-last-whistle battle and Eddie Prokop, the Tech backfield man who ran and punted and passed, was not the least of the Sailors' problems.

The Cutters have a pass to thank for their slim victory—and it wasn't their own toss. Curtis Bay Halfback Nick Gennoch snared a Monroe lateral in the closing minutes of the third quarter and pranced untouched from midfield to pay dirt to break the 0-0 deadlock. The Cutter's score came on a line buck after a pass put them within inches of the goal line.

The Commodores unleashed a devastating aerial attack which the Camp Lee Soldiers were unable to handle. Bill DeCorrevont, of Northwestern fame, did most of the tossing which with the driving attack from the "T" formation swamped the Camp Lee team.

Next week the Navy is scheduled for the test that has Middies' backers holding their breath—Notre Dame at Cleveland; Curtis Bay plays Camp Lee at Curtis Bay; the Greenville Army Air Base entertains the University of Maryland at Greenville, S. C.

Oddree Will Be Sent To Marlboro Track

BALTIMORE, Oct. 24 (AP)—W. C. Bell's Oddree, only triple winner during the recent Cumberland meeting, is one of thirteen horses that Trainer Stanley Greene Jr., of Middleburg, Va., will ship from Pimlico to Marlboro for the final lap of Maryland's 1943 racing season, beginning Wednesday, November 17.

Greene, former steeplechase rider, has made rapid strides since taking to training race horses. He enjoyed fine success the past summer at Charles Town, Hagerstown and Cumberland.

Carson Kirk, of Silver Spring, who won the diamond ring awarded to the leading winning jockey at Cumberland, is slated to accompany Greene to Marlboro. Kirk is pushing the century mark in winners, and hopes to reach the coveted mark at Marlboro.

Redskins Rally In Third Period To Defeat Cards

Pro League Champs Top Stubborn Chicago Eleven, 13-7

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—The Washington Redskins, with Slinging Sammy Baugh and Andy Farkas in the starring roles, struck twice for scores in the third period today to turn back a stubborn Chicago Cardinal eleven, 13 to 7, before 35,540 spectators.

Held at bay throughout a listless first half, the champion Redskins started rolling shortly after the intermission to register their third win of the season and protect their position at the top of the professional gridiron standings.

Farkas, the old-time Detroit university flash, took the second half kickoff in the end zone and dashed eighty-six yards before he was knocked down. Farkas fumbled but Steve Silivski recovered for the Redskins. Baugh promptly passed to Joe Aquirre for a touchdown. Bob Masterson split the uprights for the extra point.

A few minutes later, Baugh pitched twice to Wilbur Moore, then sent Moore on a thirty-five yard advance on a reverse. Farkas went off tackle for seventeen yards, and plunged over center for the second Washington score. Masterson's conversion attempt failed.

Walter Masters, former Pennsylvania star, sparked a Cardinal touchdown drive early in the fourth and engineered another Chicago threat that was halted by a pass interception in the closing minutes.

Masters tossed to Ed Rucinski who made a circus catch for the Chicago touchdown. Lee Stokes place-kicked the extra point. The score:

WASHINGTON 13 0 0 0—13
CHICAGO 7 0 0 0—7
Chicago scoring—Touchdown—Rucinski; point after touchdown—Stokes (for Stewart, placement).
Washington scoring—Touchdowns—Farkas, Aquirre; point after touchdown—Masterson (placement).

The Big Week

This will be one of football's big weeks. It will be the first of two big weeks in succession.

It will be a heavy and testing week for both Army and Navy, two of our best teams.

On Saturday, Navy moves to Cleveland to face a brilliant Notre Dame team in the presence of some 80,000 spectators, or whatever the Cleveland stadium can hold in the way of human mold.

On the same date Army moves into Franklin Field, Philadelphia, against an unbeaten Pennsylvania team before another capacity crowd that should go above 70,000.

These two games will attract at least 150,000 spectators in a season that has been short on big games, but a season that has been long on spirit and the sort of competition that has shown how hard, and how well, the underdog could fight against heavy or hopeless odds.

It has been a season of fine competitive training for many hundreds of young men moving on into a greater service.

The Two Big Games

It must be conceded in advance that Navy has only an outside chance against one of the best Notre Dame teams of all time.

It would take nothing short of a miracle for Navy to finish in front of this South Bend squad, with its speed, drive and almost perfect development of the "T" formation.

Navy always has a chance—with its amazing spirit, plus a pretty fair football team; possibly better than pretty fair.

Navy always plays at "top form" against Notre Dame. But this time Navy is meeting Notre Dame at her peak.

Experts from the midwest write me that this 1943 Notre Dame model is one of the all-time standouts.

In any event it will be a meeting between two game squads, an old-time rivalry, packed with color and tradition.

It can only be said that Notre Dame won't win on an off day, taking the final score for granted.

Army and Pennsylvania

A fine Army team has come to the October stretch unbeaten, and still largely untested.

Army so far has had all the ingredients that make up a high-class outfit.

Army spirit is always beyond debate. This time Army has her best material in years, plus a coaching staff that knows its trade.

The one Army weakness has been lack of hard competition through most of the earlier games.

It has been impossible for Coach Blaik and his staff to key up a West Point delegation that could see little to beat. Pennsylvania this season is no pushover. Munger's squad, wearing Red and Blue, is one of the country's leading teams.

In Odell and Kane it has enough speed to match Army's fast-moving backs.

For once, at least, Army will be keyed up and ready to go.

And after Pennsylvania, Army must move in against Notre Dame.

The Army Test

Army coaches tell me they have had a hard time lifting up this West Point team against opponents that never seem to have a chance.

It will be different from now on. Pennsylvania and Notre Dame will renew the keen interest on the competitive side that Red Blaik's team so far has lacked.

Army is now moving into the big league, and don't think that Army doesn't know it.

They have a great bunch on this Army squad, and once keyed up, I have an idea they will be hard to beat down or drive back. The Army line is powerful and the Army backfield is fast.

So far it hasn't had the "T" formation smoothness that Notre Dame

Local Scholastic Elevens Oppose Out-of-State Foes This Weekend

LaSalle and Allegany Face Home Battles; Fort Hill To Meet Handley Away

Cumberland's three scholastic football teams will oppose out-of-state foes the coming weekend with the LaSalle High Explorers and the Allegany High Campers scheduled to play at home and the Fort Hill High Sentinels slated to hit the road.

LaSalle, turned back 13-6 by Fort Hill in the intra-city championship series opener last Friday night, will be favored to bounce back at the expense of the Ridgeley High Black-hawks here Friday night while Allegany will be a slim favorite to top the Charles Town (W. Va.) Purple Panthers here the following night.

Fort Hill, which has captured five straight games this season, will strive for its second Cumberland Valley Athletic League triumph when it tangles with the Handley High Judges at Winchester, Va., Saturday afternoon.

Allegany Tops Handley

Allegany remained in the running for CVAL honors Saturday by besting Handley, 27-25, in a contest that matched power against forward passes. Each club snared four touchdowns with Walter Davis, place-kicking specialist, converting three extra points to provide the Campers' margin of victory.

Paul Kemp registered the first of two touchdowns in the first period on an eighteen-yard run and Davis kicked the point. "Hink" Lewis, Handley quarter, skirted right end for the last four yards and then

plunged the point to tie the score at the quarter.

The Campers tallied twice in the second period, Davis going across from the fifteen and then booting the point and Jimmy Hines scoring from the eight. Handley's second touchdown was sandwiched between the two Allegany six-pointers, Lewis counting from the two.

Kemp toted the ball across for his other touchdown early in the third stanza, running fifty-five yards. Davis kicked the point. A sixty-yard pass, Lewis to Cladston Crimm, gave the Judges their third touchdown while in the final heat, Lewis tossed to Bruce Lovett for ten yards and the final six-pointer.

Charles Town Loses

Charles Town, which tangles with Allegany here this week, lost a 13-0 decision to Hagerstown Saturday while the Martinsburg (W. Va.) High Bulldogs trimmed the Berkeley Springs (W. Va.) High Indians, 27-7. In other district games last week, Moorefield topped Ridgeley 7-0 and Romney whipped Piedmont 32-7 in Potomac Valley Conference encounters.

In conference tussles this week, Franklin and Moorefield will collide on the latter's gridiron and Keyser will entertain Romney with first place at stake. Both contests are scheduled for Friday. Keyser has won four straight conference battles and Romney has annexed three in a row.

has shown, but under pressure it is the type of team that will look better in a hard game.

Of the two, Navy has the harder afternoon, the rougher job. But Army has no country picnic against Pennsylvania.

Bainbridge Whips Camp Lee, 49 to 0

CAMP LEE, Va., Oct. 24 (AP)—Notching its fourth victory in as many starts, the Bainbridge, Md., Naval Training Station eleven roughed over the Camp Lee Travelers by a 49-0 score before 12,000 fans at Lee field here today.

With Bill DeCorrevont, of Northwestern fame, pitching and Al Vandeweghe, and Charlie Justice catching, the Sailors unleashed a devastating aerial attack. On the ground, Harvey Johnson and Jimmy Gatewood paced a driving attack from the "T" formation. Vandeweghe and Johnson were stars of William and Mary's Southern Conference championships last season.

A fifteen-yard clipping penalty gave the ball on the three-yard marker played an important part in the first Bainbridge touchdown. Another drive a few minutes later was halted by stubborn defense on the part of the Lee forward wall, and Johnson kicked a thirty-eight yard field goal.

After taking a 10-0 first-quarter lead, Bainbridge tallied again before the end of the opening period when a fifty-two-yard drive was climaxed by a touchdown pass from Hilliard Cheatham to Howard Hickey.

The next touchdown came on the most spectacular play of the day. Speedster, fleet eighteen-year-old Asheville, N. C., taking a lateral from DeCorrevont and racing sixty yards through the whole Lee team to make the score 20-0 at the half.

Great Lakes Tars Drub Marquette

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 24 (AP)—An outmanned Marquette team which stopped Great Lakes cold for one period went down without a gurgling today when the Sailors turned loose a third-quarter punitive expedition, administering a 41 to 7 drubbing before 15,000 saddened homecomers at the Hilltop stadium.

Bewildered by a powerful ground assault led by Steve Lack, Duke Al American Marquette saw the Sailors push two counters across in the opening minutes, but then dug in and held the Tars without a first down in the second period while Bill Polczynski took over in the Great Lakes backfield for the final period, passing and running the Tars to the Marquette twenty-three, where he pitched to Coleman for the final margin.

The Sailors' ground assault was good for 313 yards while Marquette picked up seventy-four—forty-six of these in the second quarter revival.

On top at the intermission, 13 to 7, the Sailors tore loose with Steve Sitko, Steve Jurwik and Dewey Proctor spearheading three touchdown marches, while pinning the Hilltopper offensive efforts behind the midstripe.

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Lujack, 18, Will Attempt To Fill Bertelli's Shoes

Line Coach Says Irish Have Confidence in Quiet Polish Lad

By CHARLES CHAMBERLAIN

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 24 (AP)—Johnny Lujack, the 18-year-old sophomore who will take over the quarterback job for Notre Dame when Angelo Bertelli reports to Paris Island for marine training Nov. 1, will become one of the youngest football generals in the school's history.

But after you take a look at the background of this quiet Polish lad, you get the idea that he won't crack under the strain of this difficult assignment, which starts November 6 when the Irish meet Army in New York.

Lujack likes to collect autographs and pictures of athletes—and would blush if you asked him for his—and he likes to spin tales of his big brother, Al, a three-sport man at Georgetown university several years ago.

His biggest thrill didn't come while he was winning letters in football, basketball and track—but when he was elected president of his senior class at Connelville, Pa., high school.

That's the type of fellow, who, as operator of Notre Dame's deceptive "T" formation, will attempt to wheel the team over Army, Northwestern, Iowa Seahawks and Great Lakes—and to its first unbeaten and untied season since Knute Rockne's 1930 eleven did the trick.

Some observers predict that Bertelli's departure will greatly reduce the efficiency of the 1943 Irish team. That remains to be seen. Probably Ed McKeever, line coach, has the best answer.

"The team has confidence in Lujack," he says. "I have confidence in him and he has confidence in himself."

Don Hutson Stars As Green Bay Wins

DETROIT, Oct. 24 (AP)—Agesless Don Hutson scored twelve points today as the Green Bay Packers rebounded from a crushing defeat by Washington, whipped the Detroit Lions 27 to 6, in a National Football League game before 41,463 spectators.

Hutson scored one touchdown, set up another and booted three extra points and a thirteen-yard field goal.

With Tony Canadeo, their league-leading ground gainer, stopped cold, the Packers turned to the air with devastating results. Rookie Irving Camp personally connected on fourteen or eighteen tosses for 201 yards, and the Packers totaled twenty-one completions for 326 yards through the air.

Conversely, the Detroit passing game backfired as the Packers turned nine interceptions, a league record, into scoring opportunities. Aside from Hutson's scores, Lou Brock drove over twice from the one-yard line and Chet Adams kicked a twenty-two yard field goal.

Fireball Frankie Sinkwich pitched a four-yard touchdown pass to Ned Mathews for Detroit's lone score in the first period. That erased a three-point Packer lead achieved on Adams' field goal, but Green Bay roared back with the deciding touchdown by Hutson in the second period.

The victory kept the Packers in the running for the Western Division title. It was Green Bay's seventh successive triumph over Detroit for a 17 to 4 edge in their ten-year-old series. The score:

GREEN BAY 27 0 0 0—27
DETROIT 6 0 0 0—6
Green Bay scoring—Touchdowns—Hutson, 1; Brock, 2; points after touchdown—Hutson, 3; placekicks—field goals—Hutson, Adams (placements).
Detroit scoring—Touchdown—Mathews.

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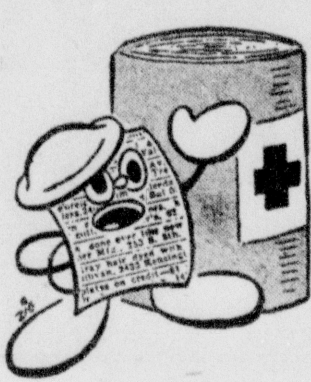
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Dedication Marks Salvation Army's Closing Session

Ribbons Presented to Forty Converts; Medal Goes to Clarksburg Guard

Forty converts accepted an invitation to dedicate their life to God at the concluding session of The Salvation Army's Young People's Councils yesterday afternoon in the auditorium of Allegheny high school, thereby bringing to a successful close the two-day youth conference of the Maryland and Northern West Virginia Division of the organization.

Major Kenneth Howarth, divisional secretary, issued the invitation to the young men and women assembled and after the forty took their places on the stage he delivered the prayer of dedication. Those who answered the call expressed a desire to become co-laborers and to dedicate their lives to the service as candidates for officership.

Ribbons Are Presented

During the dedication service Mrs. Edmund C. Hoffman, wife of Col. E. C. Hoffman, of Atlanta, Ga., chief secretary of Southern territory, pinned a tri-colored ribbon on each of the converts, all of whom were between 15 and 25 years of age.

The ceremony brought to a close the Sunday afternoon life service. Music by the council band opened the consecration service in the morning. An address by Col. Hoffman, vocal solos by the Baltimore Temple Girls Chorus and Capt. Melvin Jewett, of Martinsburg, prayer by Margaret McMullen, of the Baltimore Temple corps and Capt. George Marshall Jr., of Winchester, Va., and benediction by Capt. George Horstmeier, of Salisbury, Md., rounded out the morning program.

Saturday evening's Youth Demonstration, which attracted 400 persons to the auditorium, including the 288 delegates of Maryland, Virginia and Northern West Virginia, representing twenty-one corps and outposts, opened with the introduction of Roy W. Eves, chairman of the local Salvation Army advisory board by Major Kenneth Howarth.

Maj. Howarth pointed out that Mr. Eves has lived here for thirteen years and made a tremendous contribution to the community as chairman of the Allegheny County Welfare Board, superintendent of the Baltimore and Ohio Bolt and Forge plant, Methodist church steward and last but not least the Salvation Army board.

Eves Proud of Honor

Mr. Eves responded by saying he was proud to have the honor of being chairman of the Salvation Army board. In fact, he stated it was more honor than job. Eves said that Cumberland has narrow streets but is broad-minded, that the highways are crooked but the people are straight shooters and that the city is built on hills but "we all try to be on the level."

Col. Hoffman in turn was introduced by Eves. The former said he joined the Salvation Army in 1895 and added that in the early days there were three things required of a convert, namely, read the bible, take up a collection and put a man out. "I had the pleasure of throwing people out of meetings and the last man I threw out was Lock Haven, Pa., in 1899. After that I made up my mind not to throw out any more."

Col. Hoffman concluded by following an accordion ensemble number by Capt. Robert Purdum, Fairmont; Mrs. Fay Gough, Baltimore; and Miss Margaret Morton, Clarksburg; Marie and Mildred Taylor, twin sisters of Parkersburg, W. Va., sang "Nailed to the Cross."

A pageant by the Life Saving Guards, entitled "Miss Liberty's Challenge," was followed by a vocal solo by Miss Elizabeth Butterbaugh, of Baltimore; a cornet solo, "Jesus Is the Sweetest Name I Know," by Capt. James Lemon, of Parkersburg. (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)

W. A. Gunter Will Preside at Debate

William A. Gunter has been named chairman of the opening program of the 1943-44 Community Forum, sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday, November 1.

Leading a series of six lectures, the opening program will feature a debate by James R. Young and John Goette on the subject, "Resolved, We Must Change Our Asiatic Diplomatic Policy."

Young spent thirteen years in Japan and is the author of "Behind the Rising Sun," "Our Enemy" and many current magazine articles on Japanese aviation. Goette, an International News Service correspondent in China for many years, is author of "Japan Fights for Asia."

Other forum speakers will be Dr. James M. Hepburn, one of the nation's leading criminologists, December 9; Sir Norman Angell, economist and journalist, January 18; William R. Ziff, noted author, February 22; Stanley High, journalist and lecturer, March 14; and Dr. Mortimer J. Adler, University of Chicago professor, April 18.

Forum tickets will go on sale today at 108 Baltimore street. They may also be purchased at the Jaycee office, Fifth floor, Liberty Trust building; at the Medical Arts Pharmacy; from Dr. Samuel M. Jacobson, chairman; and members of the forum committee: the Rev. Alfred L. Crabtree, David Kauffman, Joseph T. Mackert, F. Perry Smith, Jr., L. Leslie Helmer, John R. Wilkinson, E. O. Ottland and Giles Pomeroy.



SALVATION ARMY PAGEANT—An elaborate patriotic pageant, entitled "The Torch of Freedom," was presented as a tribute to the armed forces of the United States and the United Nations to climax the opening day's program of The Salvation Army's annual Young People's Council, Maryland and Northern West Virginia Division, Saturday evening in the Allegheny high school auditorium. Forty-five young men and women, wearing uniforms of the United States armed forces and the costumes representing the thirty-one United Nations participated. Flags of all nations were displayed and patriotic music was played. The pageant was written by Adjutant William Powell, of Baltimore, who is now attending the army chaplains' training school at Harvard university. Three hundred and fifty persons witnessed the patriotic demonstration, including members of the local Salvation Army advisory board.

Wiley Ford Scout Charter Arrives

New Troop Is Forty-Sixth in Council; Richter Is Scout Master

A charter for Potomac Council's latest unit—Troop No. 76, sponsored by the Holiness Mission church, of Wiley Ford, W. Va.—has been received at local Boy Scout headquarters from New York, it was announced yesterday by Kenneth Jackson, scout executive.

The Wiley Ford troop is the forty-sixth registered by Potomac Council.

Rodney Richter is scout master of Troop No. 76 and Kenneth T. White is assistant. Members of the troop committee are Robert A. Green, chairman, John A. Kreiger, M. L. Houdersheid, L. R. Brooke and Norman J. White.

Scouts are James A. Blankenship, Walter B. Ridgeley, Alfred J. Abe, Gene H. Simpson, Marshall Hardy, E. Marshall Nield, Don E. Diehl and William G. Hiett.

Jackson said that an application for a charter has been filed for Troop No. 77, sponsored by the Methodist and Presbyterian churches of Springfield, W. Va. The scout master is William R. Manross.

Addition of the Springfield troop will increase to forty-seven the number of units in the council.

616 Children Are Given Public Aid

Allegheny County Welfare Payments Are \$36,124 for September

Six hundred and sixteen children of 231 Allegheny county families were given public assistance in September, according to the monthly statistical report released yesterday by J. Milton Patterson, director of the Maryland State Department of Public Welfare.

Expenditures for aid to dependent children totaled \$44,077.75. The average grant a child was \$13.65 and \$36.40 a family.

The report showed that 785 persons were given old age assistance. The amount expended was \$19,154 and the average grant \$24.40 an individual.

Thirty-five needy blind received payments totaling \$1,075.65 and an average of \$30.73 each.

Payments totaling \$6,674.95 were made to 256 cases listed under general public assistance. The average payment for an individual was \$26.79.

Thirty-one children received foster home care during the month. Expenditures were \$812.12 and \$26.20 a child.

A total of \$36,124.47 was spent in Allegheny county for the five special types of public assistance. Garrett county's public welfare bill for the month was \$15,558.36.

Cumberlander Makes Ice Cream for Yanks in the British Isles

Ice cream in the British Isles? It's the American soldier's dream of the unattainable.

And yet, the problem has been solved by a few enterprising mess sergeants, who have managed to concoct this strictly non-G.I. delicacy, thus winning the high regard and even love of their "customers."

Local Red Cross Chapter Discourages Queries on Men Reported Missing

Present Ability To Provide Information Is Limited, Chapter Heads Reveal

In answer to the numerous queries concerning whereabouts of service men reported missing in action, the local chapter of the American Red Cross announces that its ability to provide such information is definitely limited at the present time.

Although it would like to render a complete service along this line, the local chapter discourages requests for such information for the time being. In most cases those who have relatives reported missing are notified directly from the war department, chapter heads explained.

The war department uses the classification missing or missing in action when there is no positive evidence of death or where there is reasonable doubt of death and the person is stated officially as missing until more information is obtained.

Prisoner Lists

According to word received here from national headquarters, lists of prisoners are being received constantly. But it is a matter of weeks or months after a man is captured before his name can be forwarded by the belligerent nation or cleared through the International Red Cross Committee at Geneva.

In addition, the local chapter explains, the International Red Cross Committee has been handling a tremendous volume in clearing and forwarding lists of prisoners of war for all belligerents. And because of this volume the committee has requested that inquiries for individuals not be forwarded as they hinder the release of prisoner of war lists.

Under the present setup, the Red Cross does not go out and actually search for a man listed as missing. The war department makes an exhaustive search for missing men and any information which the field director has is given to the commanding officer to be considered in determining the man's status.

Information Censored

According to military restrictions any information the field director has must be censored, so this means that information which he sends has previously been released by the war department.

The Red Cross is exploring resources to determine whether it can be more active in gathering information about missing personnel, but there are military restrictions which must be met.

Word from the national headquarters revealed that the war department is most interested in obtaining information about men with missing status and everything possible under warping conditions is done to locate them.

Mrs. Bridget Swift, 99, Native of Ireland, Dies At Her-Elleslie Home

Mrs. Bridget Swift, 99, oldest resident of Elleslie, died yesterday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at her home.

A native of County Mayo, Ireland, she was a daughter of the late Andrew and Julia Manley Lowther. She came to this country fifty-three years ago. Her husband, John Swift, came to Elleslie about five years before. She is a distant relative of the founder of Swift and Company.

Until three years ago she successfully operated a farm in Elleslie. Three years ago she spent the winter in Florida and was in good health until a year ago.

She was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic church, this city.

She is survived by three grand-children, Frank J. Umstot, state's attorney, Tampa, Fla.; Vincent C. Umstot, Radar Government division, Newark, N. J.; and Miss Agnes Umstot, at home, and five great-grandchildren.

The body will remain in St. Patrick's chapel. Funeral services are incomplete. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

Defective Wheel Causes Wreck

Nine Coal Cars Derailed at Gorman; Passengers Are Transferred

A defective wheel is given as the cause of a nine-car derailed Saturday at 3:15 p.m., on the Western Maryland railway at Gorman, Md., sixty-five miles west of Cumberland, company officials announced last evening.

The coal train, comprising sixty-nine cars, was traveling from Elkins to Cumberland, when the derailed occurred, blocking both the east-bound and westbound tracks.

Those riding the two daily passenger trains running east and west were transferred at the point of the accident, causing a thirty-minute delay in the service.

Crews worked through the night clearing the wreckage from the rails and service was resumed Sunday morning at 4 o'clock.

Company officials said that no other freight trains were delayed due to the fact that the derailed coal train was the final one traveling in either direction on Saturday.

Writ of Habeas Corpus Issued against Penal Farm Superintendent

Charles S. McMillan filed a petition for and was granted a writ of habeas corpus against Elmer St. C. Maxwell, superintendent of the Maryland State Penal Farm, Breathedsville, in circuit court Thursday.

The petition stated that the custody and incarceration of McMillan is illegal and charges the superintendent with having no legal warrant or other sufficient warrant of commitment of detainee for the petitioner. McMillan alleges that he has been illegally held and restrained of his liberty since October 6 of this year.

The writ, issued by Associate Judge William A. Huster, was ordered returnable at 11 a. m. on October 30.

YOUTH SUFFERS POSSIBLE FRACTURED SKULL IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

One youth is in a "fair" condition in Allegheny hospital, suffering from a possible fractured skull, and four other persons were injured as a result of automobile crashes Saturday.

William Almond, 17, Willowbrook road, was admitted to the hospital in an unconscious condition after the car in which he was riding hit a ditch and turned over on the Ellerslie road at Corrigansville. X-rays will be taken today to determine the extent of his injuries, attaches said.

Samuel Martin Clopper, Jr., 19, of 630 Baltimore avenue, driver of the car, according to police, suffered head bruises and abrasions. Police said Clopper lost control of the car.

Three persons were injured in LaVale when a car driven by Ben Yommer, 17, Grantsville, struck a pole. Yommer, who was treated in Allegheny hospital for head injuries, said a soldier he did not know grabbed the steering wheel and caused him to drive off the highway, attaches were told.

Lea Dudley, 17, Watercliff street, Lonaconing, was admitted to Allegheny hospital suffering from contusions, abrasions and lacerations. She and Marilyn Poote, 16, also of Lonaconing, who received abrasions and lacerations, were passengers in Yommer's car, attaches said.

Injured by Fall

Frank L. Werner, Jr., 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Werner, 207 Fayette street, was treated in Allegheny hospital dispensary Saturday evening for a double fracture of the right wrist. The injury was suffered as he jumped for a tree limb, missed and fell on a Fayette street pavement, attaches said.

ODT Simplifies Requirements for Record Keeping

Six Questions Asked about Truck Operations on New Report Form

Simplification of record-keeping requirements for commercial motor vehicles was announced yesterday by the Office of Defense Transportation.

This action was taken, the ODT said, to bring record requirements for truck, bus and taxicab operators into conformity with the ODT's new selective reporting procedure.

Under the new record-keeping requirements, only that information need be kept which is specifically requested on the ODT's new operating report.

Six Questions Asked

Only six simple questions are asked about truck operations on the new report form. These questions on the single form supersede the previously required quarterly operation reports and monthly idle vehicle report procedure.

The purpose of the new procedures for operation record-keeping and reporting is to enable the ODT to keep an accurate, up-to-date record of current motor vehicle operations. By having this information available, the ODT said, better assistance can be given to the motor transportation industry in securing adequate tires, motor fuel, parts, vehicles, manpower and other essentials.

"The ODT believes that the simplified procedures will eliminate many of the problems which have arisen in the preparation and filing of reports while at the same time enabling the ODT to keep better informed of the industry's operating problems."

Questions by motor carriers concerning the individual application of the new record and reporting procedures should be taken up with their ODT Motor Transport district offices.

Text Is Available

The ODT's action was contained in Administrative Order ODT 9. The text of the order may be obtained from the Office of Information, Office of Defense Transportation, Washington, D. C.

Local Woman Is Taken by Death

Mrs. Henrietta Ayers Hawkins, 55, Succumbs at Home of Sister

Mrs. Henrietta Ayers Hawkins, 55, widow of Edwin George Hawkins, 1210 Oldtown road, died yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of her sister, Mrs. Willis Miller, 656 Fayette street.

Mrs. Hawkins was a member of Trinity Methodist church.

She is survived by three sons, Vernon O'Neill Hawkins, Woburn, Mass.; Harold Hawkins, this city; and Clarence Hawkins, Wisconsin; one daughter, Mrs. Lewis Stepp, this city; her mother, Mrs. Emma A. McDonald, Barton; one brother, Vincent A. Ayers, Barton; one sister, Mrs. Willis Miller, this city; and eight grandchildren.

The body will remain at the Haffer funeral home where services will be conducted Tuesday. Interment will be in Allegheny cemetery, Frostburg.

MRS. RHODA A. CORDER

Mrs. Rhoda Agnes Defenbaugh Corder, 71, Oldtown, widow of Silas P. Corder who died in 1926, died late yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George E. Collins, 214 Central avenue.

She is survived by three sons, Floyd L. Corder, this city; Samuel Corder, Roanoke, Va.; and Edward Corder, Oldtown; five daughters, Miss Carrie Corder, Oldtown; Mrs. George E. Collins, this city; Mrs. Henry T. Zimmerman, Baltimore; Mrs. Earle Nield, this city; one sister, Mrs. Laura Robison, Keyser; one brother, Richard Defenbaugh, Oldtown; twenty-six grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

The body will be taken from the Haffer funeral home to the home in Oldtown this evening. Services will be held in the Oldtown Methodist church Wednesday. Interment will be in the Oldtown cemetery.

MISS NELLIE SLOAN

The body of Miss Nellie Sloan, Yakima, Wash., will arrive here early Friday morning and will be taken to Stein's chapel. Services will be held in Frostburg Friday with interment in Allegheny cemetery.

Miss Sloan, who died Thursday at her home in Yakima, was well known here.

INFANT DIES

William Paul Sachs, one month and two days, son of Carl and Virginia (Barnes) Sachs, Route 3, Bedford road, died yesterday afternoon at 4:40 o'clock in Allegheny hospital.

Besides his parents, he is survived by one sister, Ann Marie Sachs. The body will remain at the Wolford funeral home where services will be conducted Tuesday by the Rev. J. W. Merchant. Interment will be in Zion Memorial cemetery.



Y.M.C.A. OFFICIAL—Oscar Irving Bergstrom is the new assistant general secretary of the Central Y.M.C.A. He comes to Cumberland from the Washington, D. C., Y.M.C.A. where he served as boys' secretary. Bergstrom is twenty-three years old and his home is in Lynn, Mass. Prior to his Washington post he was boys' secretary at the Gloucester, Mass., Y.M.C.A. His appointment here follows the resignation of Edwin W. Raymond, program director, to accept a Y.M.C.A. position in Summit, N. J.

Sixty-Day Jail Terms Received By Two Rapists

Court Sentences Carpenter and Giavelli; Crabtree Found Not Guilty

Brought before the bench for sentencing following conviction on charges of statutory rape, Harper Cecil Carpenter, 39, of Oldtown, and Henry M. Giavelli, 22, from the Panama Canal Zone, were each sentenced to sixty days in the county jail in circuit court Saturday.

Carpenter, who pleaded guilty, had been in jail for 117 days from the time of his arrest on rape charges involving a thirteen-year-old girl in whose home he was a boarder.

Giavelli, who came to Cumberland as a jockey at the recent race meeting, was found guilty of statutory rape involving a thirteen-year-old Paw Paw, W. Va., girl. In passing sentence on him, Chief Judge D. Lindley Sloan stated that it was evident from testimony presented at his trial Thursday that the girl "knew the price" she was expected to pay for favors from the jockey.

Andrew Jackson Crabtree, 48, who was tried in court chambers Wednesday, was found not guilty by the court on a charge of statutory rape involving a teen-age girl employed as a domestic in his home. He was arrested at the same time that Harper C. Carpenter was apprehended and the same girl was involved in both cases.

Lucas Gets Two Years

Convicted on a charge of robbing the home of a man who had befriended him, Paul H. Lucas, AWOL soldier of Bradlock, Pa., was sentenced to two years in the house of correction.

Arthur Bean, 19, of Westernport, father of two children and also an AWOL soldier, was given a one year sentence to the house of correction for burglary. Out of consideration for his family, the court expressed regret for the necessity of sentencing Bean and because of his youth limited the sentence to one year.

George Ruhl, proprietor of the North Centre street Worker's Social club, John Workman, James Hanna and John Doran were given separate fines of \$250 for maintenance of slot machines, while Sol Waingold, Marvin Treiber and Richard Fox, Jr., were fined \$100 each for running a crap game.

Zihlman Youths Paroled

Five Zihlman youths were paroled on a charge of robbing a Frostburg service station. The youngest, Russell Griffith, 16, was put under parole until he is 21 years old and the others, Emery Meerbaugh, Norman Anderson, Donald Davis and Phillip Offman, were paroled for three years. They were ordered to divide payment of court costs amounting to \$32.

Four other traversers who have not yet reached their legal majority, also received paroled sentences. They are Frank Gordon, 17, for robbery; Thomas Lewis, Jr., 18, for unauthorized use of four motor vehicles; Harold Shipley, 19, for burglary; and Jack Van Meter, 18, for burglary.

Convicted of selling alcoholic beverages without a license, William Shepperd, Thomas street, was paroled for three years.

NORFOLK LIEUTENANT COMMANDER TO SPEAK AT NAVY DAY RALLY

Lieut. Commander Lloyd M. Johnson, U.S.N.R., officer in charge of the Fire Fighter's school, Norfolk, Va., is to be the principal speaker on the Navy day program October 30 at 4:40 o'clock in Allegheny hospital.

Besides his parents, he is survived by one sister, Ann Marie Sachs. The body will remain at the Wolford funeral home where services will be conducted Tuesday by the Rev. J. W. Merchant. Interment will be in Zion Memorial cemetery.

Members of the Lions, Kiwanis and Exchange clubs, along with other civic, veteran and fraternal organizations are meeting jointly to honor the men of the naval service.

Pittenger Cites Congress's Duty In Postwar Plans

Senate and House Should Cut in Now, Minnesota Representative Says

If Congress doesn't cut in now and have committees from both the House of Representatives and the Senate sit in with state department and other government officials charged with the responsibility of winning the war and of postwar development, it will make the most tragic mistake ever made in history, Rep. William A. Pittenger, Republican, from Duluth, Minn., told members and guests of Cumberland Lodge No. 271, Loyal Order of Moose, at a class initiation banquet last night at the Moose home.

Introduced by Rep. J. Glenn Beall, of the Sixth Congressional District in Maryland, Rep. Pittenger declared that the country does not want a repetition of the Versailles Treaty or another postwar situation in which the United States would be dubbed "Uncle Shlyok" as after World War I.

Describes Outlook as "Unhappy"

Describing the outlook as an "unhappy" one, Rep. Pittenger said that it would call for the best statesmanship, free from prejudice and demagoguery and free from "New Dealers." "We can't keep on spending and wasting money and get anywhere," he continued, "and those who carry the little lunch buckets will be the first to suffer."

Commending Cumberland on the development of its new airport which he visited yesterday afternoon, Pittenger berated the shortsightedness of congressmen who refuse to see the tremendous possibilities of the future in airport development. Conducting the war has required spending such exorbitant sums for destruction, he pointed out, that attention must be turned toward spending for development as well.

In his opening and closing statements Rep. Pittenger paid a tribute to the work of the Moose throughout the country and cited Mooseheart, Ill., as the most vital and important contribution that the organization has offered to the American people.

Treat Is Toastmaster

Other honor guests introduced by Toastmaster Ernest B. Treat were former Rep. Oscar Youngdahl, of Minnesota; John Lowe, deputy supreme governor of the Moose; Maynor Thomas F. Conlon; Edward H. Beebe, chairman of the banquet committee, and Frank J. Davis, governor of the local lodge.

Charles Pettie, prelate, gave the invocation and benediction. Pettie, James T. Emmert, Edward D. Moon and William G. Miller were presented as new members of the "Twenty-Five" club.

Following the banquet the following candidates were initiated by the degree staff: Leo M. Rhodes, Joseph B. Null, Dorsey M. Goff, Arthur E. Kennell, Paul R. Weller, Earl E. Willetts, John Mansfield, E. J. Nicholson, Harry Troutman, E. B. Smith, Homer H. Cooper, Edward P. Wilson, Christie H. Clingerman, Everett G. Swann, Mark Sellers, Ross E. May, Clark W. Schultz, Leroy Miller, Francis Twigg and Joseph E. Idoni.

Russell L. Minnick, Mervin H. Miller, Benjamin F. Lashley, St. Richard C. Shaw, John R. Coleman, Albert C. Miller, Chester C. Moore, James N. Gilford, John D. Straw, Charles Owens, Jr., Nicola Tambolow, Chester C. Grim, Charles L. Weigand, R. A. Porter, Richard J. Buskey and Joseph Leasure.

Howard Wheelzel Seeks Parole

The application for parole of Howard Wheelzel, sentenced by trial magistrates' court here to one year in the Maryland House of Correction for contributing to delinquency of minors, was among nineteen submitted for further investigation, according to State Parole Director Herman M. Moser.

Wheelzel's application was presented Thursday at a bi-weekly hearing at which thirty were rejected and two refused for definite periods.

Ration Roundup

Meats, fats—Book 3 brown stamps C, D, E and F valid through October 30; Stamp G good through December 4.

Processed foods—Book 2 blue stamps X, Y and Z valid through November 20; Book 4 green stamps A, B and C valid November 1 through December 20.

Sugar—Book 1 stamp 14 expires November 1, good for five pounds; Stamps 15 and 16 expire October 31, each good for five pounds for home canning. Book 4 stamp 29 becomes valid November 1, good for five pounds through January 15, 1944.

Shoes—Book 1 stamp 18 good indefinitely; Stamp 1 on the "airplane" sheet of Book 3 valid November 1 and good indefinitely.

Gasoline—In northeast, and southeast 6-A coupons good for three gallons and expire November 8; elsewhere, 6-A coupons good for three gallons and expire November 8; elsewhere 6-A coupons worth three gallons; B and C coupons worth two gallons everywhere except Rocky Mountains and far west, where they are good for three gallons.

Fuel oil—New season's period 1 coupons valid through January 1, 1944, worth 10 gallons per unit, with most coupons worth several units each.

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